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CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—One of the wildest and most exciting openings to the grain market that has been seen in years was witnessed when the bell tapped at 9:30 this morning on the board of trade. Wild-eyed brokers were rushing from pit to pit, and messengers were flying back and forth from the telegraph booths to the pits. The corn market was the leader in strength and activity, the others keeping well in line. The trades were made at any price. Shorts in their terror did not pause to think what their loss would be, but executed orders at whatever figure possible, many times prices being 2 and 3 cents apart at the same time. Some idea of the regular order of business may be had from the wide range of prices for September corn at the start—54⅝ to 58 cents.

Nor did the excitement abate after the early operations were over. The first half hour had passed before there was the least sign of calmness. A pause for breath then came, but it was of short duration. A renewal of frantic efforts to cover short sales 10 to 15 cents below the ruling quotations followed the temporary quiet. Offerings did not increase, but rather diminished as values soared skyward. The bears were determined to cover, and paid anything that was asked for the smallest sized lots. There was scarcely any abatement in the uproar through the entire day.

The dry weather throughout the corn belt, the fear that the Iowa state report which was to be issued to-day would show a drop below 50 per cent. and the appeal of the governor of Nebraska for relief for the farmers of that state, were all more or less responsible for the state of to-day's market. Near the close a rumor that a prominent operator was in trouble added to the panic. The rumor lacked complete verification although it was acknowledged by some houses that they had closed out trades for the party mentioned because he had failed to respond to margin calls.

At the end of the session September corn was 6⅝ higher than yesterday and May 5⅞ above that day's final quotations. The net gain in two weeks has been about 20 cents. Wheat and oats each closed 2⅝ cents higher than last night.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The senate was in session to-day for only two hours, and did not take up any question of general interest or importance. There were, however, some half dozen bills passed, of which one of greatest public interest was a bill to facilitate the collection of state, county and municipal taxes from corporations in the hands of receivers under orders of a United States court.

The house bankruptcy bill was reported back from the judiciary committee with amendments, additional amendments were offered on behalf of the minority of the committee and the bill was placed on the calendar.

A resolution, which had been offered some weeks ago by Senator Call and referred to the committee on foreign relations, was reported back to-day and was, with some modifications, agreed to. It requests the president to take measures to secure the release of American citizens held as prisoners in Cuba on the charge of complicity with or aid to rebellion in that island, where such persons are held without trial on suspicion merely, or to procure for them a speedy trial where there is evidence against them.

In connection with a motion to dispense with the reading of the journal at the opening of to-day's session, Mr. Chandler said:

"It is a year ago to-day since we assembled in this chamber to do the business of the country, and I hope that we may be able to depart within a very few days."

At 2 p. m., the senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

The house completed its consideration of the Indian appropriation bill to-day by voting—133 to 103—to recede from the disagreement to the senate amendment to the bill relating to the ratification of the treaties with the Siletz, Yankton-Sioux and Nez Perces Indians for the purchase of portions of their reservations.

Senate amendments to tariff bill, were agreed to: To reject national bank notes and greenbacks to state taxation; to amend sections 2401 and 2403, revised statutes, relating to the survey of public lands: to require contractors on public buildings to give bond for the payment of labor and materials furnished for the buildings.

Senate bill was agreed to relieving boats plying between United States and Canadian ports from the operations of the law of February, 1893, granting additional powers to the Marine Hospital service.

A senate concurrent resolution was accepted directing the secretary of the interior to suspend opening to settlement the Amidona Indian reservation in Florida until congress shall take some action in regard thereto.

President Cleveland sent a message to the house vetoing the bill for the relief of Eugene Wells, late captain twelfth infantry, by appointing him second lieutenant on the retired list.

The following house bills were passed:

Directing the attorney-general to bring suit to determine the rights of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians to certain lands in Oklahoma which the Wichita and allied tribes have agreed to sell to the United States; authorizing the payment of $12,000 to the owner of the schooner Henry R. Tilton, which was sunk about two years ago, a shot deflected from the Sandy Hook proving grounds having gone clear through her at a distance of more than five miles from the hook; authorizing the secretary of the interior to grant rights of way over the public land for tram roads, canal and reservoir purposes.

The house at 2:45 o'clock adjourned until to-morrow.

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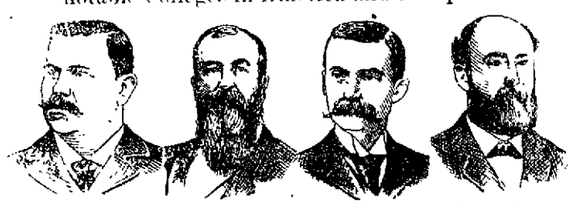

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S. M. INGLIS, of Jackson county.

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CHARLES H. PATTERSON.

County Clerk,
JAMES M. DODD.

Sheriff,
JERRY P. NICHOLSON.

County Superintendent of Schools,
JOHN G. KELLER.

SOMEBODY ought to inquire whether the present tariff bill suits ben Butterworth, and if it does that ought to end all apprehension concerning it.

ANY voter moving into this county after to-day cannot vote at the election November, 7, as he will not have been in the county 90 days as required by the constitution of the state.

SENATOR GORMAN threatens that unless the conference committee comes to some agreement on the tariff bill speedily the bill will be brought back to the senate, and the entire sugar schedule will be wiped out, bounty and all, and that the house may then wrestle with it until it is satisfied. Of course Mr. Gorman does not mean to be understood to be acting on the theory that the Democratic party is entirely destitute of any well defined principles on the tariff question.

ACCORDING to a Washington special William M. Springer has heard bad news from his district. It is said that E. A. Snively, of Springfield, called on him a few days since and after a few minutes' interview Mr. Springer's face had a woebegone expression. The presumption among the Washington people was that Snively had bad news from the district. If a little premonition like that affects him so much, what will be the geometrical lines on his face after he hears from the people in November?

THOSE people who attended the Prohibition party camp-meeting, and who are able to see the logical conclusion of such speeches as were made by Mrs. Helen Gougar, Mr. Mills and some others agree that there is little difference between their theories and those of socialists. Surely the cause of temperance has drifted into bad and dangerous hands. This accounts for the fact that the Prohibition party as at present conducted, appeals to the sound judgment of so few people. As a party it seems to be run in the financial interest of a few people.

THE petitions which are pouring into congress praying that body to settle the tariff contention at once, all declare that the anticipation of tariff changes and the uncertainty as to the outcome has crippled business and brought it to a standstill. These petitions are sent in by men who understand business and know what affects business adversely, and yet we find the country full of men--principally the same fellows who were constantly bawling out in 1890 and 1892 that "the tariff is a tax"--who are claiming that all our troubles are due to bad Republican legislation.

EUGENE V. DEBS has endorsed Mayor Hopkins, and why not? Hopkins and his police, prior to the arrival of the United States troops, winked at the destruction of railroad property and the interference with inter-state commerce. And, by the way, that was the very time that Debs and Hopkins now allege the railroad managers were destroying their own property to create public sentiment against the strikers. This mixes matters a little for these two gentlemen, but it has always, during the history of this world been remarked, that "it's queer how strange things are."

THE editor of the REPUBLICAN has been characterized in the communication of Albert F. Smith, which appeared in this paper yesterday, as an "intensely bitter partisan." Now as a matter of fact, we consider this a compliment, for the reason that we believe the fundamental principles of the Republican party to be the best for all the people. It is much preferable to be a partisan from principle than for selfish purposes. It is much better to be a partisan because you honestly and conscientiously believe that a principle like protection is in the interest of American progress and prosperity, than to dissemble before the people, as the leaders of the Prohibition party have done by declaring in their national platform in 1888 in favor of a protective tariff to catch Republican voters, and in 1894 in favor of a free-trade tariff, to catch Democratic votes. Any party that is all things to all men is not only unreliable and unsafe, but cannot prosper. If to follow the fortunes of such a party would prove an immunity from the imputation of being a "bitter partisan," it will strike every fair-minded man that it would be much better to follow the fortunes of a party that is consistent on the great issues before the people, even though men of loose and unreliable political principles do call names in self defense.

The Catholics and the Saloons.

St. Louis *Globe-Democrat:* The most important service rendered to the cause of temperance for many years is to be credited to the Catholic church. Bishop Watterson of Columbus, O., issued a pastoral letter withdrawin his approval from any and every Catholic society having a liquor dealer or saloonkeeper at its head, or among its officers, until it ceased to be so officered, and also forbidding the admission of any one engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors to membership in any such society in his diocese. An appeal was taken to Mgr. Satolli, and he sustained the bishop, thus giving his potent indorsement to the idea that the liquor business should be placed under the ban of the church in a positive and practical way. This action on the part of the Pope's representative in this country is being severely criticised in certain quarters, but it is not likely to be reversed or modified. He has put himself unconditionally on the side of temperance and aggressive hostility to the liquor interest, notwithstanding the fact that a large proportion of the saloon-keepers in the United States are Catholics, and he may be expected to maintain that position and to use his influence in all ways for the suppression of the most prolific of all sources of vice and misery.

At the recent meeting of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union at St. Paul, the course of Bishop Watterson and Mgr. Satolli was approved in emphatic terms. "The scandal of a preponderating number of Catholics in the saloon business has been too long endured," it was declared, "and this convention rejoices that a new day is at hand." Resolutions were passed urging Catholics to banish liquor from their homes, clubs and banquets, to exclude saloon keepers from their societies, and to refuse their support to Catholic papers that allow liquor dealers to advertise in their columns. The Pope sent his special blessing to the convention by a cablegram, and a letter was received from Mgr. Satolli saying that the total abstinence society is the guardian of the homes of America, and they who refrain from intoxicating liquors secure an incorruptible crown for religion and country." Archbishop Corrigan has written a letter in which he cordially accepts the principle of Mgr. Satolli's decision, which implies an intention to enforce it in New York; and other prominent Catholic leaders have expressed themselves in the same way. The opposition to this new policy is formidable, to be sure, and it will not surrender without a determined struggle; but in the end it will have to yield, and the victory thus gained for temperance will be a most notable one, reflecting much honor upon the Catholic Church, and contributing greatly to the welfare and happiness of the country.

A Sermon by Grover.

Idaho World: And seeing how the multitude had voted for him he cast aside his fishing pole and went up into the white house. And when he was set, and had tapped a fresh bottle of beer, he opened his mouth and taught his disciples, saying:

Blessed are the poor; for they shall be poorer.

Blessed are the rich, for they shall be made richer, and shall taste of the good things of this world.

Blessed are those who expect nothing; for they shall not be disappointed.

Blessed is the campaign liar, for he is our main dependence.

Blessed are the weak, for they shall be kicked off the face of the earth.

Blessed are they who hunger, for they shall have plenty of company.

Blessed are ye when men shall revile you and persecute you for my sake, for you shall eat official pie at my hands.

Blessed is the man who shall bring me another bottle of beer, for this one is all gone.

Blessed is the man who contributes to the campaign fund, for he shall receive an hundred fold more than he gave.

Blessed are the politicians; for we are in the same boat.

Blessed is the thief for he shall have abundant opportunities to steal.

Blessed is the lobbyist for he pays well and shall have the fat of the land.

Blessed are the bankers for theirs is the kingdom of earth.

Ye are the salt of the earth; therefore salt down everything in sight.

Ye are the light of the world; for you carry torchlights in every campaign.

Let your torchlights so shine before men that they can see the rooster on your hat and glorify me, who art your political father.

Take heed that you provide soup-houses for the poor; for a hungry man is liable to blow you up with dynamite.

After this manner shall you pray: Our political father who art in Washington, Cleveland be thy name. Thy congress come, thy will be done in the regular sessions as in the extra ones. Give us this day our usual cussing. Forgive us our political sins, even as we forgive the Republicans who sin against us. Lead us not into the temptations of riches, but deliver us into poverty, for thine is the pie, the officers and the power to vote, forever. Amen.

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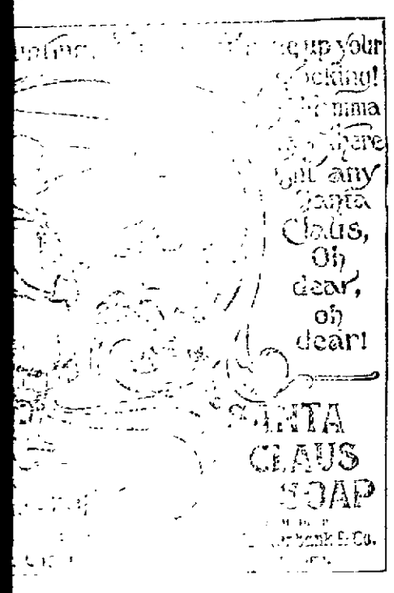

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Owing to the stringency in the money market we have been able for SPOT CASH to FILL OUR HOUSE with goods of the latest styles for less than cost to manufacture them, and we propose to sell these goods regardless of value. We can sell you goods for less than our competitors can buy them. Look elsewhere and no matter at what price goods are offered you, come and compare our prices and we will sell you. Space will not permit our quoting prices upon our immense stock. Here are a few prices that will convince you that we mean business: Dining Chairs from $2.00 per set up; Square Extension Table, $3.50; Rockers, 75c; Center Tables, 75c; Solid Oak Sideboard, bevel edge glass, $10.50. See our $20.00 sideboard, worth $27.50; Bedroom Suits, $7.50 up. Sweeping reduction upon our entire line of fine goods. All goods sold for cash or easy payments. Upholstering to order.

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J. B. Bullard,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

Has removed from Masonic Temple Block to Syndicate Block, North Main street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to the highest style of art. Calls day or night, will receive prompt attention. In connection a receiving vault. Residence—222 West Williams street. Residence Telephone 128. Office 125.

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Old Wheat Flour Makes the Best Bread.

No New Wheat in Pillsbury's Best Flour.

BUY THE BEST.

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The People's Grocer,
144 EAST MAIN STREET.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1894.

LOCAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, TAILORS.

SMOKE the Dutchman cigar. jy16d1m

NEW fall goods. CHEAP CHARLEY.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THERE is a young ladies' mandolin club at Champaign.

SEVENTEEN cases of new fall goods just received at CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

SEVEN organs and three pianos, sold from Phillips & Co.'s new store last week.

BOYS, read the B. Stine Clothing Co. Ad.

CUBANOLA, the favorite five cent cigar, at Irwin's drug store.

FIRST in the swim—fall goods.
CHEAP CHARLEY.

PARLOR suits, $13 to $200 at Tay's factory. july31-d2w

SMOKE none but the Joe Micht cigars The Little Rose and Bouquets are the favorites.

IRWIN'S Iron Tonic Bitters cures indigestion and nervous exhaustion.

ASK for the Dutchman cigar; take no other. july16-d1m

THE father of J. B. Fritz and J. W. Fritz died Tuesday near Assumption in Shelby county.

HEADACHES can be cured by Irwin's Harmless Powders.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

SULLIVAN will pave her streets, and she will want Decatur brick, the best in the world for the money.

GET your guess in at the B. Stine Clothing Co.

THE streets of the town of Newman are to be graded. Better pave them with brick and save money.

DON'T fail to read B. Stine Clothing Co.'s Ad.

TO-MORROW the Garver family reunion will be held in the park at Cerro Gordo. C. H. Garver, of Oreana, is the president.

LADIES $3.00 Tan Shoes for $1.50 at Freeman Bros., 114 Merchant street. july30d1w

THE most superb instruments in Decatur are those pianos on sale at the C. B. Prescott music house. Step in and see the elegant Haines, Sterling and Everett instruments.

GO TO Henry Bros.' bakery for all kinds of cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

FOR recovering parlor suits, lounges, couches and easy chairs, Tay's factory, South Water street. july31-d2w

THE annual reunion of the One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth Illinois Volunteer Infantry will be held at Riverside park Thursday, September 6.

WILLIAM WAY, of Champaign county, threshed five acres of wheat that yielded fifty bushels an acre, and thirty acres of oats that yielded seventy bushels. At one time he determined to plow the oats under, believing it promised too poor to keep.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtf

THE following officers of the Young People's Society of the English Lutheran church have been elected: President, Miss Mary Bowman; vice president, Rev. A. W. Walter; secretary, George Rather; treasurer, Miss Hallie Kemper. The society decided to raise the money necessary to repaper the basement of the church.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have the exclusive agency for the celebrated Troy Carriage company's surreys, also for the Henney Buggy company a full line of goods. A full assortment of carriages, buggies, road wagons, etc. cousrantly on hand. Prices cheap and work warranted. feb6-d5m

MAJOR C. F. EMERY, of Maroa, getting about on crutches, was in Decatur yesterday for a few hours. He is recovering rapidly from the serious injuries he received in Chicago by being run down by a laundry wagon. He is drawing $25 a week as accident benefit and thinks he will pull through pretty comfortably on that, and besides the laundry firm has offered to pay him a large sum of money to avoid a law suit. John W. Smith is the Major's attorney in Chicago.

THE HOLINESS MEETING.

Devout Christians in Camp for a Week at Oakland Park.

The national holiness camp meeting, to last a week, began to-day at Oakland Park. Over 100 living tents will be in place and 400 to 600 will be in camp during the week. The Illinois association officers are in charge of the camp. The state president is J. R. Jones and the state secretary is J. C. Beatty. Rev. William A. McDonald, the national president, is in charge of the services.

Speakers of note to be present are Dr. J. C. Fowler of Massachusetts, Rev. J. A. Wood of California, Rev. G. D. Watson, D. D., of California, Rev. A. McLean of New York and Rev. C. Gill of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harris of Iowa, singing evangelists, will have charge of the singing. During the meeting business of the two associations will be transacted. The national association will elect officers Friday.

The dining room tent is in charge of A. A. Luby and Emery Hall has the check room. G. A. McLaughlin will sell religious books.

The admission to the grounds is free, and services will be held four to six times a day to say nothing of the tent prayer meetings. Everybody is urged to attend all of the services.

THE TENTERS.

Among those who have ordered tents are the following: Janet Brown, Springfield; J. W. Bush, Perry; F. M. Fox, Normal; James Hobbs, B. F. Comstock, Rev. W. H. Davis, Mrs. M. Goodman, Mrs. J. D. Maxwell, Decatur; John R. Ten Brook, Tuscola; J. P. Smith, Pleasant Plains; Mrs. Belle Leonard, Ashland; Mrs. M. D. Spence, Mrs. Cyrus Imboden, W. H. Carmean, Decatur; Mrs. J. D. Duncan, Jacksonville; Mrs. D. P. Hillerby, Jacksonville; Mrs. H. M. Kriedler, Decatur; Rev. H. Agnew, Stonington; Rev. Dr. Rukenbrod, Decatur; Mrs. W. H. Akers, Carson; Mrs. J. D. Bookout, Carson; H. F. Klezing, Napierville; John R. Jones, Williamsville; J. C. Beatty, Decatur; Moses Stare, Decatur; J. L. Adams, Decatur; J. H. Coppey; John Jackson, Jacksonville; W. C. Self, Jacksonville; B. R. Rucker, Jacksonville; John Manson, Williamsville; D. P. Bishop, Normal; B. F. Baggs, Tuscola; J. D. Connelly, Newton; Rev. J. W. Hill, Decatur; Rev. T. B. Wright, Williamsville; Mrs. W. H. Webster, Williamsville; J. C. Hillerby, Jacksonville; Geo. Downey, Decatur; E. Willard, Pana; Dr. McDevitt, Rosemond; E. S. McCarty, Mary Miller, D. P. Dewey, Decatur; Jennie Stone, Atwood; Christian Henson, Jacksonville; W. F. Briggs, Broadwell; J. A. Hammond, Des Moines, Io.; Peter Riner Tuscola; Rev. D. P. Campbell, Warrensburg; D. P. Faris, G. W. Songer, Rev. T. D. Weems, Decatur.

Largely Attended.

Yesterday evening the funeral of Mrs. Charles J. Bryan took place from the First Congregational church in the presence of a large number of friends. Flowers covered the casket and were arranged in a bank behind it. Beautiful music was rendered by a quartette composed of Miss Aldyth Irwin, Hattie Childs, Prof. Westhoff and John Patton. Rev. D. F. Howe, of the First Methodist church, conducted the services in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Miller. He made a brief address, taking for his subject, "What is Your Life." The burial was at Greenwood cemetery. The pallbearers were Col. Mathias, Joseph Weigand, Charles Wheeler, E. J. Strader, Edward Davis and Samuel McKinney.

In Honor of Guests.

Mrs. Everett J. Brown gave a very handsome 1 o'clock luncheon at her home on West North street yesterday in honor of her young lady guests, the Misses Potter of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Sallie Warfield of Fergus Falls, Minn. Mrs. Brown was assisted by Mrs. Charles R. Murphy. The company included Misses Lena Ullrich, Eunice Scott, Margaret Roberts, Clara Greene, Anna Roberts, Mollie Tuttle, Anna Strohn, Corinne Shellobarger, Byrd Dingos, Elizabeth Voorhies, Jane Roby, Beatrice Howard, Annie Roby, Bess Young, Sallie Scruggs, Lillian Crea, Gertrude Tyler, Edith Lytle, Miss Thomas of Nashville, Tenn., and Miss of Chicago.

Coming.

On Wednesday, Aug. 15, the locating committee of the Dunkards will meet in this city to decide where the next annual meeting will be held. The committee comprises five members as follows: David Vaniman, of Girard, John Buckalew, of Canton, Isaac Shively, of LaPlace, John S. Kuns and William Landis, of Cerro Gordo.

Springfield, Canton and Decatur are candidates for the location. The committee will inspect the sites here and then it will proceed to Springfield and thence to Canton. The convention will not be held until next May. It is national in its character.

A State League.

Charles Schuppe, of Springfield, has hit on an Illinois state league for next season. He is at present endeavoring to work up an interest in the matter of a league to consist of Quincy, Jacksonville, Peoria, Bloomington, Decatur, Rock Island, Springfield, Aurora, and Joliet or Rockford. He states that base ball will have a revival in these cities next year, and with a reasonable salary limit can be made a success.

Condition of Crops.

The temperature of the past seven days has been below the normal all over the state, the daily deficiency averaging from 1 to 3 degrees. The percentage of sunshine was in excess of a seasonable amount. The rainfall, which was principally in the form of badly distributed showers, very heavy in some sections, was below a seasonable average. In many localities no rain fell.

In the northern division, where rain fell, corn is reported benefited, and some improvement reported in its condition. The drouth still continues in many counties of this division, although broken to some extent in few localities. The most discouraging reports come Stephenson, Winnebago, McHenry, DeKalb, Kane, LaSalle, Kendall, DuPage and Cook counties. The Wempleton, Winnebago county, correspondent says, "that unless rain comes in a few days much corn will be cut for fodder." In the other counties, while there are many sections where the drouth still continues, and where the outlook is unfavorable, the rains of this and the preceding week have greatly benefited corn, and the outlook at the present time, as indicated by the reports, is more encouraging. On the bottoms this crop is holding its own and will yield well generally. Chinch bugs are doing damage in many localities. Hail and high winds which prevailed during the week, injured the crop in some sections. Thrashing of oats and wheat is still progressing, the weather being favorable for this work. A decided improvement is reported in the condition of pastures where rain fell, but where the drouth still continues they are brown and bare. Many farmers are still feeding stock. Apples and pears are still dropping from the trees. The fruit crop will be light. Gardens have also been revived and are improving slowly. Potatoes will yield less than was anticipated. Where the ground is in good condition, plowing for wheat is in progress. More rain is needed, especially in the extreme northern and southern counties.

AT two o'clock this morning a noisy, would-be robber made an effort to enter the new residence of Charles M. Barnett, in the 700 block on North Edward street. Mrs. B. heard the screen door of the kitchen slam, and later the fellow was heard fumbling at the knob of the front door. Then Charley stuck his head out of the window and asked the disturber what was wanted. He made no answer except to nearly fall off the front porch in his effort to get away. He stopped under a tree, where if Barnett had had a revolver, he could have put a hole through him; and when Charley spoke again the stranger ran out of the lot and up to the corner at Green street. A dog barked sharply, and the fellow was heard to say, "hush up." Then he turned and disappeared. This morning Mr. Barnett found a lot of tobacco spit on the front porch. At about the same hour efforts were made to burglarize the H. C. Depew residence across the street.

Prof. Roche.

Prof Roche, the hypnotist, opened a three nights' engagement at the Grand last night as a sort of supplementary season. There was a good attendance and the usual mysterious performance were gone through with. A great many people have been interested in the professor's work, and the same ones are seen night after night at the entertainments.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

The professor will begin his engagement of nine nights at the Grand tomorrow evening. Quite an interest has been awakened among the people to witness his wonderful powers, and no doubt a large audience will greet him nightly.

Monthly Meeting.

At the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society held yesterday afternoon at the First Baptist church the following musical program was given:

Vocal Solo..... Miss Irene Armstrong
Reading..... Miss Sallie Scruggs
Piano Solo..... Miss Nell Schroeder
Reading..... Miss Mabel Wayne
Duet.....
Mrs. Gus Wilmeth and Miss Mame Chamberlain.

There was a large attendance, and at the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

Gave Bond.

D. P. Moore of Decatur and Gus Miffin of Cairo were brought to Springfield by a United States deputy marshal Monday morning, charged with maltreating railroad employes, whom they termed as "scabs." They gave bond in $300 each and were released. It seems the intent of the court is to hold all terms of "scabs" as assaults, and finable as any other assault.

Very Fine.

If you want to inspect something grand see the new Decker Bros. piano just received by P. M. Keenan. Also a new lot of pianos and organs; all first-class. Don't forget the place, P. M. Keenan, music dealer, Library block. 6d3

At Cost.

On Monday, July 23, I will place on sale all of my stamped linen and tinted goods at cost. Come and get a bargain. E. Wiallims, 205 South Park street. 4d6

Coal at $1.75 a Ton.

Five or more tons of coal delivered at $1.75 a ton cash.

July 11-dtf DECATUR COAL CO.

KARL'S CLOVER ROOT will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion, regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c, 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by C. H. Dawson. d&w.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

ARCADE OFFICE BUILDING.

An Imposing Monument to the Enterprise and Good Taste of A. Wait.

The name and fame of the Arcade office building is not confined to Decatur, nor hemmed in by county lines. Since the inception of the idea, a year ago, until the present time, when the stately building seven stories high towers before our admiring eyes, citizens of Decatur have taken the liveliest interest in the enterprise. It marks the beginning of a new era for Decatur, new life in the city's business circles, and that new enterprises will be attracted by the advantages offered by the stately block, no one can for an instant doubt. The building contains 120 office rooms, all over the first or ground floor, finished in hard pine, and with every possible attention given to the comfort and convenience of tenants. On the sixth floor is a fine hall, large enough to accommodate the greatest political convention ever gathered in Macon county. On this floor fronting Main street are a suite of elegant rooms, which will be furnished expressly for the use of farmers and their ladies who may wish to pass away the time while waiting for trains or to while away an idle hour. Everything will be absolutely free. These rooms and hall will be at the disposal of the farmers for meetings, institutes, &c., and all without remuneration. It will be quickly reached by the free, swift running elevator, one of the best in the United States. The office rooms will be heated by steam, and in this line the latest and best appliances will be used. The boilers used are isolated, that is, they are located in another building, and no possible danger from fire, explosion or dust can disturb the serenity of the tenants. A tour of the building convinced the reporter that happy will be the lot of the man who secures an office in the Arcade. Perfect ventilation in summer and heat in winter. The safe and swift running elevator annihilates distance and does away with the fatiguing flights of stairs. One point should not be overlooked, and that is the beautiful view which can be had from the upper windows. In every direction the city of Decatur and surrounding country appear as a beautiful panorama. The toilet rooms are fitted up without regard to expense, and the lavatories are furnished with hot and cold water, clean towels, &c. The cost of the structure, exclusive of the ground, will be about $45,000, and Mr. A. Wait, who has proved his abiding faith in the city by this large investment, deserves the thanks of all public-minded citizens. For the next few weeks the building will be open to the public and everybody is invited to take a ride in the elevator and look over the premises.

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Decatur, Ill., postoffice August 7, 1894. Please say advertised when called for.

GENTS' LIST.

Bryant, J A
Bartlett, Gass
Barnes, Harry
Becker, Oscar, 81 Nick
Barlow, J T
Haines, Mr
Bear, Chas, 657 East North
Carkeek, John, 80 Nick
Dudley, John, 81 Nick
Dekard, Chas M, Central Hotel
Ebert, A J (3), care trainmasters
Gomware, D F
Johnson, L Austin
Low, W W
Larrain, Anton F
Palmer, E B, Miesse House
Smith, Fred E, 486 West Main
Varney, Gordon, 81 Nick
Carmer, F C
Eachorn, J S
Robinson, D M
Shoel, Andrew
Snapp, John
Shasta, W W
Sheehan, J V
Wood, W H
White, Geo

LADIES' LIST.

Baro, Miss Minnie D
Boman, Miss Oma
Davidson, Miss Ella
Fry, Mrs Sophia
Harvell, Kate, 516 East Main
Lowabee, Miss Lolo
Miller, Miss Selina, 1011 North Folk street
Peppers, Mrs Amanda
Roberts, Miss Cora
Russell, Miss Urura
Russell, Miss Bessie
Ray, Mrs Tina
Smith, Miss May
Storey, Miss Bell
Wilkson, Miss Mary
Wheaton, Miss Mary 2d
Advertising Journal Co
Lucky, Bell
Miss R M M

JERRY DONAHUE, Postmaster

Sold Out.

P. Kemper has sold his grocery at 737 North Water street to James A Muthersbaugh. Mr. Muthersbaugh is from Springfield. Mr. Kemper has been doing a good business and has many friends and we bespeak for his successor the same good fortune which has been the lot of Mr. Kemper. All persons indebted to Mr. Kemper will please settle same at the store, where his daughter will have the books for the next 10 days. 6d6*

Wanted Horses.

We want some good driving horses in exchange for city property. Want two or three matched teams. Also want work horses of all sizes and ages. Will take same in trade for fine vacant lots or improved property. Apply to W. Z. Walmsley, real estate agent, over Cheap Charley's store. 26daw2w

Last Opportunity for Cheap Colorado Rates.

August 10 and 11 the Wabash railway will sell tickts, Decatur to Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver, for $24.40 round trip. Full particulars, tickets and illustrated and descriptive resort books at city office and Union depot. 8d5

We Deliver

Ice Cream, packed in ice, to any part of the city, for a small consideration.

A. J. WOOD.

Telephone 320.

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SHELLABARGER'S WHITE LOAF PATENT DECATUR, ILLINOIS

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1894.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Oscar Felsch shot and instantly killed George Wischelsberger, a Chicago plumber, yesterday.

—Harry Manfredi was hanged at Pottsville, Pa., at 11:21 a.m. yesterday, for the murder of George Ochs.

—John A. McClelland was yesterday appointed receiver of the Underwriters' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Sioux City, Ia.

—William Bean, a farmer living near Grand Rapids, O., was instantly killed yesterday by a bumble-bee stinging him on the neck.

—Fire at Adair, Ia., Monday midnight, burned twenty business houses and three residences. Loss, $80,000; insurance less than half.

—Mr. J. L. G. Mowat, librarian of Pembroke college, Oxford, England, committed suicide by hanging some time during Monday night.

—The pope received to-day 140 pilgrims from the United States. There were no speeches. The Americans attended mass celebrated by his holiness.

—The Schenley Park planing mill at Pittsburgh, Pa., was destroyed by fire yesterday: loss about $18,000. The plant had not been in operation for several days.

—The dwelling of George Johnson, near Lodi, S. D., was burned Sunday night with two children. The supposed cause of the fire was the explosion of a gasoline stove.

—The twenty-fifth annual session of the grand lodge Knights of Pythias began at Lemars, Ia., yesterday morning. The fourth annual session of Pythian Sisters also met in session.

—Edward Weihl, of Chicago, was arrested in New York city yesterday charged with embezzlement. He was secretary of a building and loan association at Chicago and absconded with $3,700.

—From July 29 to August 4, 316 new cases of cholera and 240 deaths were reported in St. Petersburg. In Warsaw, from July 22 to July 28, 159 new cases of cholera and 83 deaths were reported.

—Dr. Guzman, the minister from Nicaragua, received a telegram from Managua yesterday officially announcing that the town of Bluefields, on the Mosquito coast, had been taken by the Nicaragua army.

—Thomas Stokes and James Burkert, charged with stopping a mail train on the Panhandle at Twenty-second and Western avenue, Chicago, June 7, were held to the federal grand jury yesterday by Commissioner Hoyne.

—Harry F. Johnson was hanged in the Lehigh county jail yard, at Allentown, Pa., yesterday morning. The drop fell at 10:24. His neck was not broken and death resulted from strangulation in eleven and one-half minutes.

—A freight train on the West Jersey railroad was held up at 4 a. m. yesterday at May's Landing, N. J., by a band of twenty-five Coxeyites under Carl Browne. The "hoboes" stubbornly fought the train crew, but were finally subdued.

—Joe R. Wilson, the deputy sheriff of El Paso county, Col., who was captured in Missouri, is reported to have made a full confession, implicating a number of other men whom he claims assisted him in tarring and feathering Gen. Tarsney.

—Judge Campbell held Adjt.-Gen. Tarsney in contempt of court at Colorado Springs, Col., yesterday morning, and fined him $50 for ignoring the summons to appear before the grand jury sitting to inquire into the tar-and-feather case.

—No appeal has been made for Santo Caesario, the convicted murderer of President Carnot, and the time for revision of judgment having passed, the documents were sent to Paris yesterday. The execution will take place probably in about two weeks.

—One of the American Dredging Co.'s dredges, employed dredging the Delaware river between the foot of Federal street, Camden, and Market street, Philadelphia, exploded its boiler at 12:25 yesterday afternoon, and three men are reported killed and several injured.

—The Dublin Freemans' Journal published a letter yesterday from Justin McCarthy acknowledging the receipt of $5,000 for the Irish parliamentary fund from ex-Judge Thomas Moran, of Chicago, who collected money in behalf of many American contributors.

—Three companies of the first regiment I. N. G., which had remained on duty at Pullman, and four companies of the second regiment remaining on guard at the Chicago stock yards, were, by order of the governor, relieved from duty yesterday morning.

—Queen Victoria gave a grand banquet at Osborne, Monday evening, in honor of the German emperor. Seventy covers were laid. When the emperor returned to his yacht the Meteor, all the yachts lying near were specially illuminated out of compliment to him.

GO EARLY and avoid the rush at J. A. Dresbach's meat market, 241 North Park street. You will get the best.

MEN'S good socks 5c a pair, Arcade.

A COSTLY BLAZE.

Destructive Fire at Blue Mound—Newbegin's Elevator Gone Up.

Business Property Has a Narrow Escape. The Water Gives Out—Men, Women and Children Form a Bucket Brigade.

The town of Blue Mound, twelve miles from Decatur on the St. Louis branch of the Wabash road, had the worst fire early this morning in the history of the place, and but for the energy and staying qualities of the men, women and children of the village the business part of the place would have been wiped out.

The fire started at 1:50 o'clock in the tower or upper part of the W. B. Newbegin & Co. grain elevator, near the Wabash track, and in a remarkably short period of time the building was in flames. John Traughber, the night watchman, gave the alarm and the dinner bells at the hotels and the church bells were kept ringing industriously until the whole town was awake, four or five hundred people filling the streets and running hither and thither in great excitement. It was impossible to save the elevator. It was a great mountain of lashing flames, and all the people could do was to form a bucket brigade and join in the effort to prevent the total destruction of the town. The town has a water works system, and the 200 feet of new hose received only last week, was run out and used effectively until the water supply was exhausted. Then recourse was had to all the available wells and cisterns in the place, water being carried to different points in buckets, while the air was filled with stifling smoke and fire brands blown by the southwest wind. The people had to keep up the fight against the flames for over an hour and finally their efforts were rewarded with success for the progress of the fire was stopped and the flames were subdued.

The Newbegin elevator office and scales were destroyed, together with about 6000 bushels of wheat, corn and oats, the loss being $8000, fully insured. Only last night at 8 o'clock Mr. Newbegin, who was afraid of fire, took out an extra $2000 policy with L. T. Clements, expecting to receive a fresh lot of grain to-day.

Two buildings near the elevator belonging to Emile Gebhardt, occupied as a restaurant, bakery and dwelling, were burned down: loss $1000; insurance $500.

Several small buildings were torn down to stop the progress of the flames, among them Abrams & Crow's grain office and scales and E. T. Clements' office.

Fred Lehman's two story building and the Odd Fellows block took fire on the roof from heat, but by the judicious and continuous use of water the buildings were saved.

While the fight was on the owners of stores along the main street of the town, with the help of volunteers, moved goods to a safe distance. The greatest confusion reigned while the fire was at its height.

It is not known how the fire originated. The fireman at the elevator left the building at 9:30 p. m. and says the fire was all out in the engine room. Mr. Newbegin and his son were in the office until after eleven o'clock straightening up their books, &c., and there was no sign of fire when they left the office. A train passed between 12 and 1 o'clock, and some think that sparks from the train started the fire. Others think it started from a hot box in the fanning mill. There is no man in town more careful about fire than Newbegin and no one more prompt in keeping everything fully insured.

Decatur was telephoned to send out the fire department, but the time was too brief to get a special train, and when it was planned to start anyhow word came that the fire was under control.

A big lot of green cord wood piled up on the town side of the elevator probably saved the business houses from destruction.

The heat was so intense that the railroad rails were melted and twisted. Trains were delayed by the fire.

WORK Shoes 95 cents, Arcade.

To Accommodate Decatur People.

The excursion tickets to Chicago will be honored on train No. 2, leaving at 12:55 a. m., and arriving at Chicago at 7:30 a. m. Tickets are good returning on regular train leaving Chicago at 9 p. m., or on the special at 11 p. m.

This will enable Decatur passengers to spend the entire day in Chicago and to see the sights, among which are:

League base ball game between the Clevelands and Chicagos, at the West Side ball park.

The great Spectacular production, Alladin, Jr., at the Chicago opera house.

New blood at McVicker's Theater.

Half a dozen variety theaters will be open.

The popular attraction, shooting the shutes at 63d street and Cottage Grove avenue.

Surf bathing at Manhattan and Windsor beaches from 71st street to 76th street.

Whaleback steamer leaves from foot of Van Buren street for Milwaukee; one dollar for the round trip.

Graham and Morton Transportation Co. steamer, leaving docks at 9:30 a. m., for St. Joe. Passengers presenting return coupon of Wabash tickets will be sold tickets to St. Joe and return for $1.00; usual fare, $1.50.

A special chair car will be placed opposite the depot at 10:30 p. m., so passengers can get in and have a good night's rest. All this for $2.00. Get tickets at the City Ticket Office Saturday and avoid the rush.

CORSET'S 25 cents at the Arcade.

PERSONAL MENTION.

R. O. Rosen is in Bement to-day on business.

E. R. Frazier is in Mattoon to-day on business.

J. E. Smith is in Mt. Zion to-day on business.

Miss Annie Roby has gone to Chicago to visit relatives.

Chas. Lommell of Wanesburg, Ind., is here on business.

The Misses Mark, of Peoria, are in the city visiting friends.

Ald. R. R. Montgomery has gone to Chicago on business.

Miss Flaudia Traughber has returned to her home in Mt. Zion.

Karl Pollock is in Tuscola to-day on business regarding the Wabash railway.

Mrs. A. T. Summers and daughter, Miss Helen, have returned from Chicago.

Mrs. John Quinlan and daughter, Ethel, have returned from a visit to Louisiana, Mo.

M. A. Smith, formerly editor of the *State Sentinel*, has gone to Gainesville, Florida, to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Riddell have gone to Gouvenor, N. Y., to visit friends for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Warren departed last night for Fredericktown, New Brunswick, on a pleasure trip.

Mrs. Lida Coombe and children, of Cincinnati, are guests of Wm. Coombe and family in Mt. Zion township.

Mrs. B. H. West and daughter, Miss Julia, of Belleville, are the guests of Mrs. Hord at 911 West Main street.

Miss Celia McGorray and Miss Flora Dempsey, of Springfield, are the guests of B. A. McGorray and family.

D. L. McGinnis and wife, of Jacksonville, are in the city attending the camp meeting.

Miss Annie Lehman, of Memphis, Tenn., is the guest of M. Faemer and family of 1006 North Main street.

Miss Emma Harpstrite has returned from Mackinaw, accompanied by her friend, Miss Carrie Kraeger of Pekin.

Mrs. F. Walbridge of Grand Rapids is visiting in Decatur, the guest of Miss Bessie Green, on East Marietta street.

Mrs. John Perry, of Taylorville, is visiting in Decatur, the guest of her cousins, Mrs. Julia and Mina Nicholson.

R. Taggart arrived in Decatur to-day for a short stay. He is sojourning with his family at Lake Maxinecuckee, Ind.

A. Gilliland, of Mowcaqua, was in Decatur to-day on business, renewing his subscription to the DAILY REPUBLICAN for a year.

Rev. C. Gaicener has gone to Hot Springs, North Dakota, and the Black Hills region, where he will remain for a month or longer to spend his vacation.

Rev. N. S. Haynes of Englewood, who was at one time pastor of the Christian church in this city, is here visiting with friends and looking after his property interests.

John H Slecter, Henry Jostes and John Ritter, of Boody, left last night for Storm Lake, Iowa, for the purpose of prospecting, with a view of purchasing land.

Ed. Wills will go to Peoria to-morrow to attend the funeral of Mrs. Chris. Richmond, wife of a P. D. & E. conductor, who died this morning at 9:40 o'clock.

Mrs. W. R. Palmer and Miss Catherine Palmer, of Springfield, are in the city, guests of M. Maxon, manager of Standard Oil company.

Miss Thomas, who has been visiting Miss Lena Ullrich, will leave Friday for her home in Chicago. Miss Ullrich will go to Freeport, Ill., on Saturday.

Miss Carrie Bishop, after a visit in this city left yesterday for her home in Cleveland, Ohio, accompanied by Miss Donna Buckingham, who will visit there the rest of the summer season.

Rev. Geo. F. Hall and family left today for McLean county, where they will visit for a few days before going to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where they will visit until August 25th. Rev. Hall will then return to this city and resume his duties as the pastor of the Christian church.

MEN'S Boot's $1.39 per pair, Arcade.

Ladies.

Do not worry trying to friz your hair, but go to Miss Williams and get a nice naturally curly bang. No net. No wire. 205 South Park street. 4d6

ARCADE Flour, No. 1, 90 cents. No. 2, 80 cents. 8-2tw1

JOHN ZELLER, the well known butcher, has been a subscriber to the DAILY REPUBLICAN for twenty-seven years, and swears by his favorite newspaper.

TWENTY poundsgranulated sugar $100 at the Arcade.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 8, 1894.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

WHEAT CLOSE.

Aug. wheat, 54⅛; Sept., 55⅞, Dec., 59

CORN CLOSE.

Aug. 55¼; Sept. 55¾; Oct. ——; May, 52¾.

OATS CLOSE.

Aug., 32; Sept., 32⅛; May, 36⅛.

PROVISIONS CLOSE.

Pork—Aug. $13.15, Sept., $13.20.

Lard—Aug. $7.22½; Sept., $7.25.

Ribs—Aug. $6.92½; Sept., $6.92½.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat—548; Estimated, 760; Last year, 90.

Corn—133; Estimated, 165. Last year, 195.

Oats—320; Estimated, 320. Last year, 134.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 451; Corn, 150; Oats, 310.

Cattle receipts, 15,000; market steady.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth were 147 cars, against 145 the receipts of last year.

Hog receipts, 31,000; 1,000 more than estimated. Market strong 5@10c higher. Light, $5.00@5.35; mixed, $5.00@5.40; heavy, $4.90@5.55; rough, $4.90 @5.15. Estimated for to-morrow 30,000.

The total clearances of wheat were 253,000 bushels. Flour, 24,000 bbls.

The total clearances of corn were 23,000 bushels.

The total clearances of oats were 22,000 bushels.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast, wheat firmer, held higher; Corn, nothing offering. On passage, and for shipment wheat, firmer; corn improving.

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Spot wheat at opening firm but not active; corn slow at the advance.

LADIES' fast black hose 5c pair, Arcade.

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Bring copy of adv. with you, or ask for one at the door as you come in; it is a splendid guide for you while trading, following a list of the bargains offered.

Underwear.

25 doz. Ladies' Vests, tape arm and neck, were 15c, now 10c.
35 doz. Ladies' Shaped Vests, tape arm and neck, were 20c, now 12½c.

Gloves and Mitts.

5 dozen Ladies Gauntlet Driving Gloves, were $1.25, now 98c.
39 dozen Pure Silk Imported Mitts, were 25c, now 15c a pair.

Corsets.

25 dozen Featherbone Corsets in white and tan, all sizes, 45c.

Parasols and Umbrellas.

37 Parasols sold from $2 to $4 reduced to 98c.
50 English Gloria Umbrellas reduced to 69c.

Handkerchiefs.

We will close out all our Ladies' Scolloped Embroidered Handkerchiefs, formerly sold for 25c, at 15c. All our 35c for 20c each.

Wool Dress Goods.

175 Remnants of Wool Dress Goods in fancy, plain and plaids, formerly sold at 50, 55 and 60c, at 25c.
90 Remnants extra wide Wool Dress Goods, formerly sold at 75c, at 49c.
125 Remnants extra wide Wool Dress Goods, formerly sold at $1.00, at 75c.

Special.

We now have on sale our entire line of Boys' Waists at greatly reduced prices.
25, 30 and 35c Waists at 15c.
39, 47, 50 and 65c Waists at 25c.
75c quality Black Sateen at 35c.
75 and 89c Waists at 69c.
$1.00 and 1.25 Waists at 89c.
$1.50 and 1.75 Waists at 1.00.

Men's Percale Shirts
With Attached and Detached Collars.

All our $1.00 and 1.25 Shirts at 79c.
All our $1.50 and 1.75 Shirts at 1.15.

Men's Balbriggan Underwear.

We will place on sale the balance of our 50c underwear at 25c each.

Neckwear.

We will offer 25 dozen choice pattern Men's Ties in all styles, worth 50c to $1.00, at 25c each.

Night Robes.

35 doz. Men's Night Robes, worth 75c, at 39c.

Men's Hose.

One case Men's Half Hose, seamless and fast colors worth 15c, sale price, three pairs for 25c.

Boys' Shirts.

25 dozen Boys' Outing Fancy Cheviot and Percale Shirts, worth 50 and 75c, at 25c each.

Wash Dress Goods, etc.

Balance of Wash Dress Fabrics will be closed out regardless of value.
Remnants of Sateen, Figured Dimity, Lawns, etc., to be sold at 5c a yard.
Dark Dress Ginghams, new styles, beautiful patterns, at 5c a yard.
Apron Check Ginghams, all colors and checks, 5c yd.
Best American Indigo Blue Calico, 4⅞c a yard.
China Punjam Cloth, the new wash dress fabric, all the latest designs, 7½c a yard.
New Calicoes in black and gold, green and gold, turkey red, fancies, etc.
Comfort Calicoes, best colors, choice 6c a yard.
Shirting Plaids, extra weight, at 6¼c a yard.
Outing Flannel in endless varieties, stock complete, at prices that will sell them.
White Flannels will be sold at 5, 6¼, 12½, 25c yd.
Shirting Flannels, all wool, extra weight, at 25c yd.
All Wool Skirt Patterns fine goods, at 98c each.
Irish Frieze in blue mix and black mix at 19c yd.
Springfield Yarn, the best stocking yarn, manufactured, will be sold at 90c a pound.

Blankets.

Extra Size White Blankets for 98c a pair.
Grey Blankets cut to $1.98 a pair.
Red Blankets, the finest made, at $1.99 a pair.
Sanitary Blankets, the new color, all wool, at $2.98 a pair.
100 Bed Comforts will be closed out a 89c each
50 Down Comforts, worth $4.00, will be sold at $2.98 each.
Balance of Lap Robes in stock will be closed out at half price.

Linens.

One lot of Remnants Table Linens. The lot consists of Turkey Red bleached and unbleached Damask from 1½ to 3 yards in length. They will be sold cheap.
Our entire line of Stamped Linens will be sacrificed. The line consists of Tray and Carving Cloths, Side Board Scarfs, Dresser Scarfs, Squares, Doylies, etc.
We will place on sale a lot of Towels, slightly soiled, in Damask, Huckaback and Turkish, hemstitched, knot fringe and hemmed. Your choice while they last at 21c each.
One box of fine 4-4 Bleached Muslin, no dressing, at 5⅞c a yard.
One box of best 4-4 Bleached Muslin at 6⅞c a yard.
One bale of 36-inch Brown Muslin will be sold at 3⅞c a yard.
One bale of best 36-inch fine Brown Muslin will be sold at 4⅞c a yard.
One box of Canton Flannel will be sold at 7½c a yard. Come early before they are sold out.

New Fall Dress Goods.

21 pieces Fancy Lexon Suitings at 60c.
30 pieces Fancy Habit Cloth at 50c.

New Fur Capes.

12 Canada Seal Fur Capes, worth $40.00, at $25.00
10 French Dressed Cooney, extra high lustre, worth $25.00, at $15.00.

On Bargain Counter.

Chenille Table Covers, worth $1.00, at 65c.
Ladies' Chambre Skirts, trimmed, at 49c.
Misses' and Children's Gingham Dresses at 75
Children's Dresses, 2 to 4 years, at 19c.
Ribbons and Laces at 2c a yard.
Boys' Kilt Suits at 75c.
Fancy Aprons at 15c.
Silk Bows and Ties, formerly sold at $2.50, at $1.00
Silk Bows, formerly sold at $3.00 and $3.50, at $1.50
Ladies' Waists, formerly sold at $1.00 and $1.25, at 69c

Laces.

42 pieces extra fine quality Bourdon, Princess Mesh and Net Top Point Venice, 4 to 9 inches wide, formerly sold at $1.00 and $1.25, at 49c.
3 pieces 45-inch Black Dress Flouncing, worth $2.00, at 49c.
1 piece 45-inch extra fine all Silk Cream Flouncing, formerly sold at $5.00 a yard, at 98c a yard.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

100 dozen extra fine Muslin and Cambric, lace and embroidery trimmed, Night Robes, worth $2.00, at 98c.
30 dozen White Skirts, handsomely trimmed, worth $2.00, at 98c.

Cloaks and Suits.

300 new Fall Jackets and Wraps at $2.98, $3.50 and $5.00 each.
75 Ladies' Ready-made Suits, styles Eaton and Frazer, tailor made, perfect fit, at $6.98, $5.98 and $3.98
150 Ready-made Ladies' Suits. This is a very special lot and should not be passed if you want a Dress, the entire lot at $4.98 a suit.
100 Misses and Children's School Dresses, all sizes, 5 to 10 years, at $3.98 a suit.
Children's Dresses, 2 to 5 years, at 65c, 98c and $1.25 a suit.

Lace Curtains.

500 pairs Lace Curtains, extra good value, formerly sold at $2.50, at $1.98 a pair.
Special bargains in Irish Point and Brussels Net Curtains, Irish point, as low as $3.98 a pair.
Also big reductions in Chenille Portiers.

Carpets.

1,500 yards All-Wool Ingrain, to close, at 59c.
2,500 yards extra heavy Union Ingrain at 38c.
300 Rugs, to close, at 50c on the dollar.
500 Carpet Rugs, 1½ yards in length, and fringe for $1.25.
We will close our entire Moquett stock at 19c.
300 yards Tapestry, 50c, former price, 70c.
200 Shades, mounted, at 19c.
500 Poles and Trimmings, 15c each, complete.
25 pieces China and Japan Mattings at prices.

New Fall Goods Arriving Daily.

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A Pleasing and Instructive Entertainment.
Prof. Roche has just concluded a highly successful five days' engagement at Quincy, Ill., and is appearing at the Grand Opera House in Bloomington.
The Great Egg Breaking Test will be given on the opening night. Don't fail to see it. Black admits free with the 25 cent ticket. Regular night prices. Sale of seats commences Tuesday, August 7, at Pierce's opera house drug store.
Popular Prices 10, 20 and 30c.
Box Seats, 50 cents.

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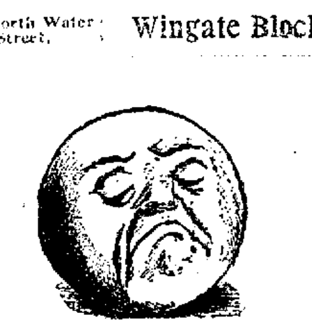

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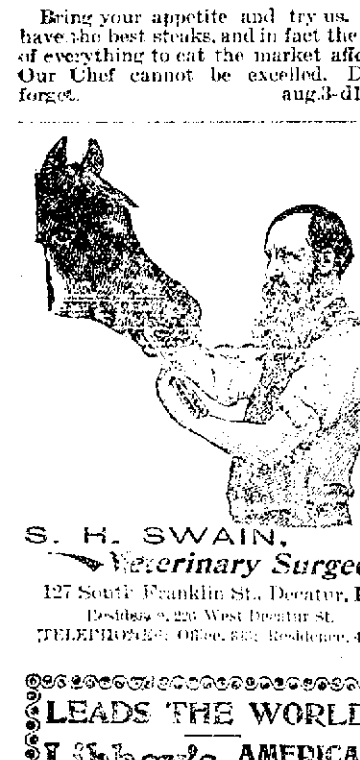

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BARGAIN COLUMN.

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

Advertisements of Forty words or less may be inserted in this column at a price of 25 cents per week, payable invariably in advance.

WANTED.

WANTED—The public to know that we have taken charge of the hotel at 437 East William street, and propose to conduct the same in a manner to win the approbation of the public. 7-d6

WANTED—Boarders by the day or week, at the Merchants' hotel. I have leased the above hotel, have renovated it, and will conduct it so as to give satisfaction to my patrons. Regular boarders specially solicited. Mattie Snell. 4-d6t

WANTED—A few boarders by the day or week at 411 North Water Street, formerly the Logan House. Good fare. Rates reasonable. Rooms to rent. W. P. McGuire. 3-d1w

WANTED—To trade an organ or piano for team and light wagon; also any merchandise which we carry in stock for a bicycle. S. GARRETT. 20-d tf

WANTED—to notify my friends and patrons that I have moved my shop to 917 North Monroe street, where I am prepared to do first class work in repairing or making boots and shoes. E. C. LINTHICUM. 14-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know and be convinced that the REPUBLICAN want column is the proper means through which to have that "want" satisfied. apr16-dtf

WANTED—Ladies or gentlemen to try the good board offered at 227 South Main for $3.50 per week, with good, well-furnished rooms. july9-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that I have a large stock of fine and medium grades of wall paper that I will sell at cost for the next 30 days. Also window shades. Come and see them. T. P. Roddy, 257 N. Main St. july9-dtf

WANTED—Every man, woman and child in Decatur to win wealth, happiness, long life and contentment by occasionally dropping an ad. in this department.

WANTED—The ladies to call at Garrett's, 449 North Water street, and examine the patent bolt scissors. Inspect their work and you will be convinced that their equal has never been placed on this market. apr28-dtf

WANTED—You to know that we are prepared to renovate your feathers without you incurring any loss whatever. Satisfaction guaranteed; charges reasonable. W. D. Chamberlain & Co., Library block. apr16-dtf

WANTED—The people to know that they can buy first-class second-hand furniture and stoves of us at half-price. We have a splendid line of second-hand lounges and parlor suits newly upholstered and refinished, just as good as new, bedroom suits, chairs, etc., at very low prices. Chicago Second Hand Store, 259 East Main street, first door west of Grindol's marble shop. All kinds of furniture repairing done at short notice. apr18-dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A first-class surrey horse, perfectly gentle and reliable, only 7 years old. Also a house and lot. Will take vacant lot on this property. Will trade either or both for anything worth the money. A. S. Kazar, 328 East Main street. 4-dst*

FOR SALE—COWS—I have some nice fresh Jersey cows for sale for cash or on payments, very reasonable. Apply to E. B. Dimock, 145 North Water street over Abel's carpet store, or at Dimock's Feed and Sale stable at west end of Eldorado street. 5-dtw

FOR SALE—Pumps, Pumps. The best and cheapest Pumps and Windmills in Decatur at R. A. Kelly's, No. 304-308 North Franklin street. Also is prepared to store goods and insure same at reasonable rates. July 18-dtf

FOR SALE—A good farm of 120 acres, with new barn, 6 room house with basement with rock foundation, good well and outhouses, coal bank with 3 foot vein at 30 feet and 5 foot vein at 90 feet from surface; object for selling old age; want to retire from farm; a bargain. Address or apply to Harvey Greider at Central Hotel for further information. june1dtf

FOR SALE—The effects of the man who refused to advertise in the "For Sale" column of this paper. He lacked good business sense and now he's busted.

FOR SALE—The original Budweiser beer—best in the world, bottled for family use by Friis & Grass; call telephone 518. 18dtf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Space in our want columns for you to advertise for your wants, to sell or rent your belongings, at the low rate of 25 cents per week for notices not to exceed forty words. apr16-dtf

FOR SALE—A commission agency doing a business of $1,500 per year; good profit; will sell to the right party cheap for cash; can conduct the agency without much capital. Call or address 136 Merchant street, second floor, room 13, Decatur, Ill. 23dtf

FOR SALE—Two-story house of eight rooms and cellar, 40 feet front. Good barn with driveway to street. Paved street. Sewer in alley. City water. Owner wishes to leave the city. 734 West Decatur street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Tents and camping outfits generally for camping parties at very reasonable rates. Apparatus and appointments the best. W. D. Chamberlain & Co., Library block. 27-d2w

FOR RENT—A neat cottage on St. Louis avenue. For terms, etc., call on A. J. Dresbach, at Young & Dresbach's meat market, North Park street. June 19-dtf

FOR RENT—Splendid rooms for offices, also fine rooms for light housekeeping or lodging. All conveniences and modern improvements. Rent reasonable in the new Wingate block. Apply at Wingate's store; 328 North Water street. 1-d2w

FOR RENT—A house of 8 rooms, at 1151 East Marietta street. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsly, 152 E. Main. Telephone 352. june16-dtf

FOR RENT—A four-room house on the corner of E. Marietta and N. Woodford. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsly, 152 East Main. Telephone 352. june16-dtf

FOR RENT—Space in this column, which all good people are invited to inspect. The small investment is better than preferred stock in a gold mine. Ladies and gentlemen who patronize this column may in time wear diamonds. tf

FOR RENT—A house of six rooms with all improvements at 535 North Edward street. Call on M. Statzenberger at 459 North College. 23-dtf

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

LOST—At Oakland Park on August 5 a lady's gold watch with three shot chains. It is a Muhr & Sons watch, and the number is 401349. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the watch at 205 South Franklin street. L. M. Gray. 6d6*

LOST OR STRAYED AWAY—A dapple gray Shetland pony. Finder will please restore same to Dr. Catto's residence and receive reward. 3-d1w

LOST—By those persons, who do not use the REPUBLICAN want columns, the splendid opportunities and business advantages offered here every day. apr16-dtf.

FOUND AT LAST—The people of Riverside in particular and Decatur in general have found the best place to buy groceries, meats, candies, flour, fruits, cigars, etc., at W. F. HURTT'S Riverside Grocery House. 29-d3w

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grade pictures is at ABRAMS' gallery, over Peddecord, Burrows & Co's bank. For the best aristotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. july7dtf

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 145 North Water street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur, Ill. july16-d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate conveyancing. Apply to WALTER & WALTER, room 30, Arcade office building, Decatur. nov1-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman & Co. over Millikin's bank. 13-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN in any amount on real estate, chattels or good personal security. C. T. HAIGH, over Busher's shoe store, 152 E. Main street. mar19dtf.

REAL ESTATE CHANCES.

MORE NEST EGGS—Two handsome corner lots on Decatur street, very cheap, easy terms; one inside lot $600, same street, south front and very deep.
Six nice lots on North Union street for $1,500—long time.
Four nice lots on North Church street, $1,100, all east front.
I also have a few nice homes in different parts of the city, very cheap; 4, 5 and 6 room dwellings.
If you have any property for sale or exchange it will pay you to call and see me. Peter Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 249 N. Main street. June27-dtf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A modern seven room house in every particular. Centrally located.
Two modern eight room houses on North Water street.
A good four room house on Mason street.
A house of six rooms, barn, furnace, well and cistern; 80 feet frontage on North Clinton street.
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A seven room house, well, cistern and gas on Central avenue.
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Properties for sale or trade in all parts of the city. Call and see me. Chas. T. Haigh, 152 East Main street. 27-dtf

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Some desirable Nebraska land to exchange for stock of goods or other property.
Several desirable pieces of city property to exchange for farm lands.
Four vacant lots in Wisconsin town of 30,000 to exchange for horses.
Vacant lot in Riverside to exchange for new upright piano, must be good.
I have a customer who will pay cash for vacant lot in desirable part of the city, must be cheap for cash; will take incumbered property and pay off incumbrance.
Equity in elegant residence within one block of business portion of city; this property has all modern conveniences; this is a snap for someone; numerous other bargains.
C. M. ATTERBURY,
may21-tf Over Irwin's drug store.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DECATUR'S ONLY HOPE—Hope, the rubber stamp man. I hope the good people, when wanting anything in my line, will come to 157 East Prairie street, where I hope to be able to gratify your hopes and supply your wants. W. L. Hope, Decatur, Ill. 7-dt

WATCHES! WATCHE HIM—Great sale of gold and silver watches. Best values ever offered in Decatur. Will be sold for pledges and interest. Chance of a lifetime. Call at H. M. White's loan office, 235 North Water st.

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NEW STORE.—W. S. Garver, desires to notify his friends and the public that he has purchased the grocery and feed store at 612 East Eldorado street, and is prepared to serve all comers with groceries, poultry, fish, baled hay and feed. 25-d3w

NEW MEAT MARKET.—Adam Kreher & Son have opened a new meat market at the corner of West King and Monroe streets. The best stock to be had always on hand. Call and see us.* may30-dtf

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder. Office over Piper's Studio, opposite Library block.

NEW LIVERY—H. E. Crews has purchased the livery stable at 140 East Cerro Gordo street, and is prepared to furnish single and double rigs with good gentle horses for driving, at lowest rates. Horses boarded at lowest living rates. 18-d1m

PUMPS,
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GEO. M. WOOD,
Aug1-d w1m* 135 South Water st

FOR A GOOD LUNCH—Call on A. J. Brown's lunch room, 161 North Water street. The best 15c meal in the city; also a fresh line of cigars and tobacco. july11-dtf

QUALIFIED BY MANY YEARS of experience Katherine M. Sweet has opened an office in Room 22, Syndicate Block, where uterine and nervous affections are treated by the absorption process, which has proved so successful in Chicago as to merit an office in Decatur. July 10-d1m

FULL line of cut flowers, roses, etc. A fine line of bedding plants, Geraniums, Verbena, Pansies, etc., delivered to any part of the city. Call on or telephone 200. N. Bommersbach.

NEW STORE.—W. D. Wheeler informs his friends that he has bought J. H. Ray's stand, 620 East Eldorado street. A complete line of groceries, feed, poultry and fish always on hand. Prices made to suit the times. may26-dtf

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. R. FOSTER'S grocery store, 1075 North Water street. jy1-dtf

THE Mutual Telephone company is now ready to make contracts for service. For particulars call on DR. J. G. HARVEY, Opera House Block. apr23-dtf

STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and warerooms 620 East Mason street. Telephone 292. C. C. HARPSTRITE. jan-dtf

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GO to W. D. Chamberlain & Co. in the Library Block for your furniture and upholstering and repairing. apr18-dsf

YOU SHOULD remember the difference in the cost of the best and poorest insurance is but a trifle; the difference in case of loss, however, may be sufficient to bankrupt you. Gay & Midkiff have some of the best. 257 North Water street. June 18-dtf

MISS NESBITT HAS PROVEN HERSELF to be thorough in the optical profession; has fitted hundreds with marvelous success; receives testimonials daily from those benefitted by her skill. Will mention a few:
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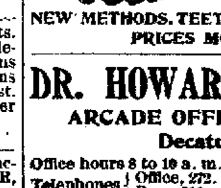

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON.

In the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois.

Frederick Wilson, complainant, vs. Charles Elliott, Alice Elliott, Henry Elliott, John Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Emeline Etherton, Robert Mitchell, George W. Mitchell, Mary Harris, Henry Harris, Mary Price, Thomas Price, Charles E. Price, Elizabeth Price, James Troutman, ——— Troutman, his wife, Jessie Troutman and Ida Troutman, defendants.—No. 14,836, September Term, 1894. In Chancery. Bill to quiet title.

Affidavit of the nonresidence in this state of the said Henry Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Mary Price, Thomas Price, James Troutman, ——— Troutman, his wife, Ida Troutman, Jessie Troutman, Charles E. Price and Elizabeth Price, defendants in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Henry Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Mary Price, Thomas Price, James Troutman, ——— Troutman, his wife, Ida Troutman, Jessie Troutman, Charles E. Price and Elizabeth Price, that the above named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court upon the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D., 1894.

Now, unless you, the said Henry Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Mary Price, Thomas Price, James Troutman, ——— Troutman, his wife, Ida Troutman, Jessie Troutman, Charles E. Price and Elizabeth Price, be and appear on the first day of said term of court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, August 3d, 1894.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.
ALEXANDER McINTOSH, Complainant's Sol.
Aug4-dtd

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. In the circuit court.
MACON COUNTY.

Daniel L. Shutter et al.,
vs. No. 14,655.
Chas. A. Shutter et al.

BILL FOR PARTITION.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, entered at the June term of said court, A. D. 1894, in the above entitled cause, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday, September 1, 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county offer for sale at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, the real estate described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section 20, township 17 north, range 3 east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois, subject to the right of way of the Illinois Central Railway Co., across said premises, and subject to the rights of the present tenant, expiring March 1, 1895. Also lots 11 and 12, in block 3, of the village of Oreana, in said county.

TERMS OF SALE—All cash in hand, but there is a mortgage not yet due for $2,500, with 6 per cent. interest, on part of the land, and the buyer may, at his option, take the land subject to that mortgage and continue it, in which case the amount due thereon will be deducted from the purchase price. Otherwise the full price will be paid and the mortgage will be paid off out of the proceeds of the sale. The land will be first offered in separate tracts and afterwards as a whole, and will be sold in whatever way will yield the greatest sum of money.

An abstract of title may be seen and further information had by application to E. S. McDonald, attorney, Decatur, Ill.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 1st day of August, 1894. JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.
E. S. McDONALD, Complainant's Solicitor.
Aug3-d4w

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit court of Macon county, Illinois.

The Equitable Building and Loan Association vs. Lewis C. May et al—June Term 1894, No. 14,752. Bill for foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June term of said court, 1894, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. on Friday, the 24th day of August, A. D., 1894, at the front door of the court house in Decatur in said county, offer for sale at public vendue, subject to redemption according to law, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot six (6) and four (4) feet off of the south side of lot seven (7) in block five (5) in North addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, with all improvements thereon; being situated 80 feet on North Church street and 150 feet on Packard street.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 31st day of July, A. D. 1894.
JAMES J. FINN, Master-in-Chancery.
M. M. GISH, Plaintiffs' Solicitor. aug1-dtd

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

You will take notice that the undersigned intends to make application to the regular meeting of the City Council of the city of Decatur, Illinois, on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1894, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house or building designated and known as the Amphitheater building situated upon the property of the Decatur Trotting Association, and described as follows, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section number two (2) in township number sixteen (16) north, range two east of the third principal meridian, and situated in Macon county, Illinois, which said house or building is owned by said Decatur Trotting Association.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1894.
aug-dtd G. A. KELLER.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

To the Creditors of George W. Jones & Co.:

On the 18th day of July, 1894, George W. Jones and James T. Turner, doing business under the firm name of George W. Jones & Co., at 108 East Prairie street, Decatur, Ill., made a voluntary assignment under the statute of this state, to the undersigned as assignee; therefore notice is hereby given to all creditors to present their accounts under oath or affirmation, within three months from the date of said assignment.

Decatur, Ill., July 18, 1894.
july18-d6w C. M. ALLISON, Assignee.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary H. McCarty, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Mary H. McCarty, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1894.
JAMES C. BEATTY, Executor.
July 28-d3w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of W. T. Moffit, Administrator &c., and against Thomas J. Austin, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: All of the west half of the west half of the west half of the northeast quarter of section thirty five (35) township 16 north and range one east of the 3d P. M., except one and seventy one-hundredths of an acre off the north end of said tract. Also, the undivided interest of Thomas J. Austin in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 23, township 16 north and range 1 east of the 3d P. M., Taken as property of the said Thomas J. Austin which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county, in said state on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1894, of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 6th day of August, A. D., 1894.
PETER PERL,
Aug6-d3w Sheriff of Macon county, Ill.

Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON.

In the County Court, August Term, 1894.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Hummell, to the heirs and all whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that I have filed in the said court the final report of my acts and doings as the administrator of the estate of Henry Hummell, deceased, and will ask the court to consider the same on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1894, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, and to approve the same and discharge me from further liability, at which time and place you can be present and take such action as you may desire. CHRISTIAN H. GARVER, administrator of the estate of Henry Hummell, deceased.
Aug. 6th 1894. d-3w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Frank A. LeForgee, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Frank A. LeForgee, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1894.
BENJAMIN O. McREYNOLDS,
Aug8-d3w Executor.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned assignee of the Decatur Implement Co., will on Monday, the 27th day of August, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the premises situated on Franklin street, offer at public sale to the best and highest bidder, the building occupied by said company, being the same building constructed by said company; said building is 72x126 feet, is new and well constructed and especially adapted to the implement business. Said sale will be made subject to the terms of a certain ground lease made by said Decatur Implement Company to Brown & Harkrader, which will be fully explained on the day of sale. Possession given September 1st, 1894. Terms, cash.
O. T. KIRK, Assignee, &c.
aug8-dtd

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

Pontiac—account second annual bicycle tournament, tickets sold August 14th to 17th, inclusive, good returning till August 18th. One and one-third fare round trip.

The Peck and Ater excursion to Washington court house, Ohio, leaves via the Wabash at 6:15 a. m. Thursday, Aug. 9th. Tickets are good returning until Aug. 25th. This excursion is open to the public and will enable passengers to visit Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield and other Ohio points at a low rate.

Denver, Col., account of annual meeting of League of American Wheelmen, Aug. 10 and 11, good returning on Aug. 19 or 25 and Sept. 13. Round trip $24.40.

Linwood Park, Vermillion, O.: Account Evangelical Association Sunday School convention and German camp meeting. Tickets sold Aug. 5 to 21, good for continuous passage going, limited for return till Aug. 24. Fare and a third for the round trip.

Washington, D. C. Account Knights of Pythias. Sell Aug. 22d to 26th. Good returning until Sept. 15th. One fare for round trip.

Pittsburg, Pa. Account G. A. R. Sell Sept. 5th to 10th inclusive. Good returning until Sept. 25th. Rate one cent per mile. This is $10.75 from Decatur.

Homeskeeper's Excursion to Michigan points, Aug. 14th and Sept. 18th. One fare for the round trip. Tickets limited to 20 days returning.

Homeseeker's Excursions to all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, North and South Carolina. To all points in Louisiana east of the Mississippi River; to all points in Kentucky beyond Somerset, Bowling Green and Guthrie, to all points in Florida except those reached from Steamboat lines. Tickets on sale Aug. 7th, Sept. 4th, Oct. 2d, Nov. 6th and Dec. 4th. One fare for the round trip. Tickets limited 20 days for return passage.

For rates, routes, maps, and any further information regarding any Wabash excursion, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. T. and P. A., Wabash railroad, Decatur.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS.

Denver, Col., account of annual meeting of League of American Wheelmen, August 10 and 11, good returning on August 19 or 25 and Sept. 13. Round trip, $23.40.

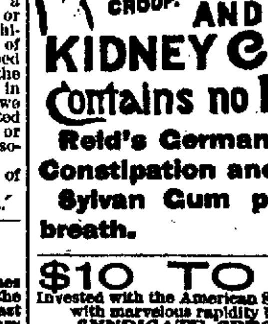
Homeskeeper's Excursion to Michigan points, Aug. 14th and Sept. 18th, one fare for the round trip, tickets limited to 20 days returning.

Homeseekers Excursions to all points in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, to all points in Louisiana east of the Mississippi River, to all points in Kentucky beyond Somerset, Bowling Green and Guthrie, to all points in Florida except those reached by Steamboat lines. Tickets on sale Aug. 7th, Sept. 4th, Oct. 2d, Nov. 6th, and Dec. 4th. One fare for the round trip. Tickets limited 20 days for return passage.

Tourists tickets are now on sale to all principal Summer resorts. For tickets and all information call on T. Penlwell, 110 Library block, or W. L. Smith, ticket agent, Union depot.

I., D. & W. EXCURSION.

SPECIAL RATES to Niagara Falls. August 2 the I., D. & W. will sell tickets to Niagara Falls and return for $7. To Lake Chautauqua and return, $6.50. To Put-in-Bay and return, $6. Excursion train returning leaves Niagara Falls at 6 a. m. August 5. Those desiring longer time can leave on regular trains within 5 days from date of sale. jul21-dtd



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" 4 Pass ... [illegible]
" 44 Pass ... [illegible]
" 42 Pass ... [illegible]
" 2 Pass ... [illegible]

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass ... [illegible]
" 44 Pass ... [illegible]
" 6 Pass ... [illegible]
" 46 Acc ... [illegible] p m
" 70 Freight 11:05 a m

FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass ... 3:50 a m
" 45 Pass ... [illegible] p m
" 41 Pass ... 9:00 p m
" 47 Pass ... [illegible]
From Bement [illegible]

FROM CHICAGO.
No. 8 Pass ... [illegible] a m
" 5 Pass ... 4:06 p m
" 1 Pass, ex. ...
cept Sunday [illegible] p m

Illinois Central.

SOUTH.
Diamond Special, daily ... 1:58 a m
No. 122 pass, ex. Sunday ... [illegible] a m
No. 124 freight ex. Sunday ... 2:40 p m
No. 102 pass, ex. Sunday ... [illegible]
No. 702 (Ltd.) [illegible]
Blue Leaves, [illegible]
Sunday ... [illegible]

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry. Co.

ARRIVE.
No. 1 Pass ... 2:14 p m
" 3 Pass ... [illegible] a m
" 7 Freight [illegible]

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

NORTH.
No. 9 Pass ... 2:55 p m
" 4 Pass ... 6:25 a m
" 20 Pass, Sun. day only ... 7:54 a m
" 14 Freight [illegible]

Vandalia Line.

ARRIVE.
From Terre Haute ... [illegible] a m
From Peoria ... [illegible] p m
LEAVE.
For Peoria ... [illegible] a m
For Terre Haute ... [illegible] p m

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THE HOUSE IN CAUCUS

Considers the Chances for Tariff Legislation,

BUT ADJOURNS WITHOUT ANY ACTION.

An Intimation that Congress May be Held in Session for Ninety Days Before an Agreement is Reached in Conference.

A Few Representatives Weak-Kneed, But Others Determined to Hold Out for a Bill in Accordance with the Declarations of the Party.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The house democratic caucus yesterday lasted an hour and a half and adjourned after deciding that the house conferees on the tariff bill should not be embarrassed by instructions of any character from their democratic associates.

This action of the caucus was disappointing to its promoters who had hoped for a different result whereby a speedy settlement of the matters in dispute between the two houses might be reached.

Another disappointment awaited those present, in that Mr. Wilson, the chairman of the ways and means committee, failed to inform the caucus what progress the conferees had made; what propositions had been advanced and rejected by the representative of the two houses, and when, in his opinion, a report could be made. Nor did Speaker Crisp, who spoke at length, throw any light upon the situation. The most that he said was that an agreement might be reached at an early day, while he dampened the spirits of those who are pressing for an early adjournment by saying that congress would remain in session ninety days, but that a tariff bill satisfactory to the country would be passed.

A feature of the proceedings was the statement made by Mr. Boatner, of Louisiana, on the authority of Senator Mills, of Texas, that the house must recede from its objections to the senate amendments and agree to them if the passage of the tariff bill is to be expected.

Before the caucus began a telegram was read from the clerk's desk announcing that Col Oates had carried Alabama by a majority of 25,000. This was greeted with loud applause.

Mr. Holman, the chairman of the caucus committee, presided, and the roll-call disclosed the presence of 168 members, an unusually large number. Mr. Bynum, who was a moving spirit in calling the caucus, then offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, House bill 4864, for the reduction of taxation and to provide revenue for the government, passed the house on the first day of February and the senate on the third day of July, and was sent to conference on the seventh day of July last, and

WHEREAS, The commercial interests of the country have been held in suspense awaiting a final settlement of the question; and

WHEREAS, The people of the whole country have through the public press and by petitions and memorials to both houses of congress, demanded a speedy decision that the industries may, as soon as possible, be adjusted to the proposed changes; and

WHEREAS, Conferees appointed by the two houses to hold a full and free conference over the disagreeing votes of the two houses have had the matters in dispute under consideration for one month, and have failed to come to any agreement whatever; and

WHEREAS, The house of representatives, which, under the constitution of the United States, is clothed with the exclusive power to originate bills raising revenue and is, therefore, clothed with the right to pass upon all amendments proposed by the senate freely and without restraint; and

WHEREAS, The house of representatives has not availed itself of an opportunity to consider said senate amendments or any of them, which right, under parliamentary law, is superior to all others; and

WHEREAS, It is currently believed that said conferees are unable to agree; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this caucus that the democratic conferees of the house and the senate should meet in a spirit of liberality, to the end that the two houses, by mutual concessions, may agree upon a measure which will meet the approval of each.

Resolved, That this caucus stands adjourned until 3 o'clock Friday, the 10th inst., at which time, in case no agreement has been reached, it shall convene, to take such further action in the premises as it may deem necessary and appropriate and the chairman of the house caucus is hereby authorized and directed to invite the democratic senators to meet with the democrats of the house at that time in joint caucus.

Mr. Bynum said that as one of the democrats who had been instrumental in circulating the call, he desired to explain that no reflection was intended on the house conferees, all of whom were his friends, and in each of whom he had the utmost confidence. His purpose in asking for the caucus was to permit all the democrats in the house to meet and confer as to the best interests of the country and of the democratic party. He explained at some length the purpose of the resolution, and stated that it was desirable that the democrats of the house should invite the senate conferees to appear before them at a subsequent caucus in order that all the official representatives of the party in the city should take part in such deliberations and to assist in reaching a conclusion that would meet the approval of both houses.

Mr. Bynum said he knew that a part of the people, represented by a great clamor in the press, demanded the house bill. But he knew, also, that the people in his district favored the best bill they could get and a prompt settlement of the present uncertainty upon the bill. He was frank to say he much preferred the senate bill to no bill at all.

Representative W. L. Wilson, chairman of the committee on ways and means, was the next speaker. He said he was glad of an opportunity to meet the democrats in council, but might not have selected this time for the purpose. He did not consider it fortunate, just at the time when the situation was most critical, last week and this week, that the call for a caucus should be held over the house conferees. As far as Mr. Bynum's resolution was concerned, he said, it expressed exactly what the conferees had been doing and were now doing.

Referring to the merits of the two measures, Mr. Wilson said that the house bill proved to be acceptable to the people, while the senete bill apparently had not. He appreciated the necessity of the democrats passing some bill, but it was not desirable that the bill should be one which had put them upon the defensive. He expressed the opinion that, if necessary, more than a month might be well spent in reaching an agreement upon a proper bill. If the house conferees did their duty, he believed that a bill would result, honorable alike to the house and the senate. But this result, Mr. Wilson assured the caucus, would not, in his opinion, be hastened by any action that would seem to advise the senate conferees that if they would hold out for some definite short period of time, that the house conferees would agree with them.

In conclusion he said that this was the feeling of all the house conferees, and that they desired to carry out the programme along the line indicated, but he intimated that if the present conferees did not represent the wishes of the majority of the democrats of the house they would willingly give way to others.

Mr. Wilson spoke with great earnestness and much feeling, and his remarks were greeted with applause.

Mr Bland asked if it would not be a good thing for the committee on ways and means to report a bill putting sugar on the free list. The suggestion evoked a round of applause which was followed with laughter when he continued: "While the senate is considering that proposition, we can take up a bill to increase the income tax to $100,000,000 a year."

Mr Livingstone, of Georgia, offered the following resolution as a substitute for Mr. Bynum's resolution:

Resolved That we have unlimited confidence in the house conferees and request them to present a tariff bill that represents the pledges and principles of the campaign and platform of 1892.

Mr. Bynum, resuming the floor, said that a vote upon this substitute would place the members of the caucus in a false position. He, himself, had every confidence in the house conferees, and he thought, therefore, a vote in the negative would imply that the house did not have this confidence in them, and no member desired to place himself in such attitude. He was willing to incorporate the substitute as a part of his resolution, but he would not agree to it as a substitute. He continued that one of the objects of the caucus was to get an expression from the house conferees of their opinion as to whether or not an agreement could be reached. In other words, if Mr. Wilson would state that he believed a satisfactory conclusion could be had in time, it would be satisfactory to him, and he would not press his resolution.

Mr. Boatner, of Louisiana, said no reflection was intended upon the house conferees in calling the caucus. He had never dreamed that it was offensive to any person for democrats to meet and confer. He had signed the call, and in doing so had expected to meet his democratic friends in a fraternal spirit. He added that the time had come when the house should express its opinion as to the pending amendments. In the course of his remarks he said Senator Mills had told him that the house must recede from its objections to the senate amendments and agree to them if the passage of a bill was desired or expected. He said that Mr. Mills was a tariff reformer in the best sense of the word, and stood as high in the estimation of his countrymen as any man in public life, and he (Mills) was of the opinion that the only thing which could come out of the conference would be the senate bill.

Mr. Cooper, of Indiana, asked Mr. Boatner if that was not a bluff. Mr. Boatner spurned the suggestion that Mr. Mills could be guilty of bluffing tariff reformers, and criticised Mr. Cooper for seeming to intimate as much.

Mr. Cooper responded that he did not mean to charge Senator Mills with bluffing in the interest of the senate bill, but stated that he believed Mr. Mills, as well as a good many more of the house, had been led to believe that the bill would fail in the senate if amended. It was well known to the country, he continued, that certain gentlemen in the senate who represented nothing but their private interests, from under the cover of forms of senatorial courtesy, had kept the country in fear of the failure of the bill, to effect their own purposes. But recently the mask has been torn off and they were now standing uncovered in the pillory under the indignant gaze of the whole people, and he believed, Mr. Cooper said, that if it had not been for efforts to call off the house conferees by the calls for caucuses and representations that the representatives were united, those senators would some time ago have yielded and a tariff bill would have been enacted into law ere this.

Mr. Cooper's remarks were greeted with applause.

Mr. C. B. Breckinridge, of Arkansas, a member of the committee on ways and means, who has been present at nearly all of the meetings of the democratic conferees, assured the caucus that the house conferees had not set up any ultimatum on any one schedule as had been reported, but that they were at work with their senatorial associates in the effort to secure an agreement all along the line.

Then Messrs. Bynum and Livingstone suggested several changes in their respective resolutions, but before anything definite was accomplished by the caucus, Speaker Crisp was recognized and took the floor. He said he was glad that the caucus had been called. It gave the democrats an opportunity of meeting and expressing their sentiments. He always attended democratic caucuses, and was willing to be bound by their decisions. He thought it inadvisable to adjourn the caucus to another fixed day; a caucus could always be called whenever it was necessary. If a reassembling of the caucus was fixed for Friday of next week it would be equivalent to saying to the conferees: "If you don't agree by that time, we shall instruct you what to do." If we are going to instruct them to agree to the senate amendments we might as well do it now.

Mr. Crisp said he was confident that the house would stay here thirty, forty or even ninety days without going home, to secure the passage of a satisfactory and acceptable tariff bill.

The effect of the Bynum resolution, if passed, would be to take the house from behind its conferees and impress the senate conferees with the fact that all they had to do would be to wait a week and the house conferees would come to them. The house conferees, he said, were entitled to the same support the senate had so far given its conferees. The conferees were waiting to secure an agreement, and no other action was necessary. "Let them alone," he said. "There are thirty-eight men in the senate who favor the house bill. We all want to go home, but while we are waiting for the right kind of a bill we can best serve our country by staying here.

He went on to say that coal, iron ore and sugar were not the only important items in the bill. The senate had increased the rates in nearly all the schedules, and many concessions would be secured on these if the conferees were permitted to continue their work. He hoped for the reasons stated, that no resolution would be passed, inasmuch as Mr. Wilson, the chairman of the ways and means committee, was still hopeful of an agreement. He, himself, was inclined to the belief that the agreement would be made inside of two weeks, and that upon a report that would pass both houses.

Mr. Bland stated that he was not in favor of the senate bill under any conditions whatever, and that he certainly should not vote for it unless the house conferees came in and asked him to do so.

Mr. Fithian, of Illinois, asked: "How about sugar? I don't want to stay here for the coal and iron schedule." He was told that he need not worry about the schedules named, that, as the speaker had said, they were not the only important ones in the bill, and that the conferees were endeavoring to get concessions, not only upon these articles, but all along the line.

A Voice—What's the use of doing anything?

Speaker Crisp—"Well, if its agreeable on all sides I am ready to move that the caucus do now adjourn.

Thereupon Messrs. Bynum and Livingston withdrew their resolutions and the caucus adjourned sine die

CROP REPORTS

Furnished by the Directors of the Different State Weather Services.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—The reports as to the condition of crops throughout the country and the general influence of weather on growth, cultivation and harvest, was yesterday made by the directors of the different state weather services of the United States weather bureau. The reports received by telegraph at Chicago are as follows:

Illinois—Temperature below normal, sunshine above normal and rainfall below and badly distributed, in some sections none being received; late rains beneficial to corn, pastures and gardens. Wheat and oat threshing still progressing. Some plowing of wheat.

Indiana—Few local showers and cool weather benefited corn in good soil, that in light and clay ground needs rain much. Wheat and oat threshing continued; yield good.

Ohio—Local rains have benefited corn, potatoes and tobacco considerably, but the distribution was very irregularly made. Corn on low ground promises well, but on hilly ground, especially in the north part of the state, the damage is irreparable. Wheat yield is good. Tobacco doing well. Fruits scarce and of poor quality.

Missouri—Rainfall badly distributed, and drought continues in many counties. In southwest section corn in good condition, with prospects for whole crop; in other sections it has improved in some counties while others show a decline.

Arkansas—Week particularly favorable for all crops, cotton fruiting abundantly; early corn about laid by, another rain needed to make late corn; both plantings are fine; large crop sweet and Irish potatoes and watermelons.

Kentucky—Local rains improved corn and tobacco in some sections, but in others these crops are seriously affected by drouth, especially upland corn; forward tobacco being topped; pastures very poor; potatoes improved.

GALLANT LIFE-SAVERS.

Capt. Broadbent and His Three Daughters Rescue a Vessel's Crew.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Aug. 8.—Monday night the full-rigged Norwegian ship Catherine stranded on Santa Rosa island, nearly two miles from the life-saving station, while trying to enter this harbor. A terrible southwest gale was blowing at the time. The government disbands the life-saving station from May to September, leaving only the captain in charge. Capt. Broadbent, with the assistance of his three daughters and one man hauled their apparatus nearly two miles, fired the life line and rescued the crew of the vessel, which is reported rapidly going to pieces.

FISCAL HEROISM.

Indiana's Governor Will Risk His Fortune to Pay the Soldiers Who Did Their Duty to the State.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 8.—Gov. Matthews has decided to raise the $45,000 needed to pay the state troops called out during the strike with money borrowed on his individual paper. He trusts to the legislature to reimburse him, and says he takes the risk because the men did their full duty and need the money.

GAUDAUR LED

In Both Events in the Lake Couchiching Regatta Yesterday.

OREOLA, Ont., Aug. 8.—The regatta yesterday over the Lake Couchiching course was witnessed by 4,000 people. The events included the professional single scull, professional double and a couple of local races. In the professional single scull, two and one-eighth miles, there were four entries—Gaudaur, Rogers, Durnan and Dark. Gaudaur won by four lengths. Rogers was second, with Durnan and Dark twenty lengths behind. Time, 13:20.

The professional double, with Guadaur and Rice as partners against Rogers and Durnan, was a ding-dong race, the former leading by one length to the turn, but only winning by a quarter of a length. Time, 13 minutes.

THE RELAY RIDERS.

The Humming Wheel Pursues Its Rapid Flight Across the Country.

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Aug. 7.—The Washington-Denver bicycle relay riders arrived here at 5:03 and left at 5:05 p. m.

ZANESVILLE, O., Aug. 7.—The Washinton-Denver cyclists passed through here at 9:13 p. m.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 8.—The relay bicycle riders, en route from Washington to Denver, arrived at this city at 1:28 a. m., and immediately left for the west.

Baseball.

The following games were played yesterday:

At Chicago—Chicagos, 13; Cincinnatis, 11.

At Pittsburgh—Clevelands, 10; Pittsburghs, 9.

At New York—New Yorks, 16; Washingtons, 8.

At Boston—Bostons, 19; Philadelphias, 8.

At Louisville—St. Louis, 11; Louisvilles, 2.

At Brooklyn—First Game—Baltimores, 21; Brooklyns, 5. Second Game—Brooklyns, 18; Baltimores, 8.

STRICT NEUTRALITY

Is the Position Great Britain Will Hold Toward the War in the East.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—England has declared herself with regard to the war in the Orient. An extraordinary Gazette was issued last evening containing a proclamation by the queen. Her majesty states that in the war between China and Japan, Great Britain's position will be that of strict neutrality.

Death of Consul Underwood at Leith, Scotland.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Francis H. Underwood, United States consul at Leith, Scotland, who has been ailing for some time, died yesterday afternoon. Death resulted directly from blood poisoning.

MARKET REPORT.

Grain and Provisions.

ST LOUIS—Flour—Fancy to extra fancy $1.70@2.35; patents, $2.55@2.70. Wheat—No 2 red 49⅝@49½c. No. 3 red 47½@47⅝c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 50@50½c; No. 2, white, 52c. Oats—No 2 30½@30⅝c. Hay—Prairie $6.00@8.50 mixed timothy, $6.50@8.50, clear timothy $9.00@12.00. Butter—Creamery, 20@25c; dairy, 15@20. Eggs—Fresh, 10½c. Lard—Prime steam, 7.00@7.10c. Pork—New standard mess, $13.75@13.87½. Bacon—Longs, 7.65c, clear ribs, 7.65@7.75c, clear, 7.80@8.00c, all boxed. Wool—Choice tub-washed, 18@21c.

Wheat—Futures closed August, 52½c at September, 53@53⅛c b; December, 56⅝c, May, 61⅝c n.

Corn—Futures closed August, 57c b, September, 57½c, May, 51½c.

NEW YORK—Flour—State and western, firm and quiet. Wheat—August, 58 5-16c, September 58⅜@59⅜c; October 60½c; December, 61⅞@62 11-16c, May 66⅝@67½c. Corn—September, 60@63½c; November 59½c; May, 55½@57½c; Old No. 2, 60c. Oats—State, 40@54c, August, 37c September, 36½@37c; October, 36⅜@37c; western, 45@54c. Pork—Mess, $14.25@14.50. Lard—Steam-rendered, 7.50c. Butter—Western dairy, 12½@16c Elgins, 23c, western creamery, 14@23c; imitation creamery, 14@17c. Eggs—Western, 12½@14c

CHICAGO—Opening quotations Wheat—September, 55½@55⅝c; December, 58⅝@58⅝c, May, 64⅝c. Corn—September 56⅛@56c, October, 51⅞@57c; May, 50½@50½c Oats—September, 22⅛@22⅜c, October 24c May, 26@26½c. Pork—September, $13.25. Lard—September, 7.22½c Short Ribs—September, 6.85c.

Closing quotations Wheat—September, 57⅝c, December, 60⅝c May, 65⅝c Corn—September, 57⅝c, October 59½c, May, 51⅞c. Oats—September, 33⅝c, October, 31c; May, 38c Pork—September, $13.32½ Lard—September, 7.20c Short Ribs—September, 6.97½c.

Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Export steers $4.30@4.75; fair to good, $4.10@4.60, butchers', $2.50@3.90. Hogs—Packing $5.00@5.20 butchers' hogs, $5.15@5.25. Yorkers, $4.85@5.15 Sheep—Prices range at $2.25@2.75

HORSES	
Heavy draft, good to extra	$ 90 00@110 00
Drivers, good to extra	75 00@125 00
Saddlers, good to extra	75 00@110 00
Matched teams, good to extra	125 00@200 00
Streeters	60 00@ 80 00
Southern animals	25 00@ 50 00

MULES.	
14 hands, 4 to 7 years old	$ 40 00@ 50 00
14½ hands, 4 to 7 years old	45 00@ 60 00
15 hands, 4 to 7 years old	60 00@ 80 00
15½ hands, 4 to 7 years old	75 00@100 00
16 to 16½ hands, 4 to 7 years old	85 00@125 00

CHICAGO — Hogs — Receipts for to-day, 15,000 head, and yesterday, 40,644; shipments, 13,675; left over, about 6,000. Quality very poor, market fairly active with prices 10c up. Sales ranged at $4.70@5.25 for light, $4.75@4.85 for rough packing, $4.90@5.25 for mixed, $4.90@5.45, for heavy packing and shipping lots, pigs, $4.25@4.85. Cattle—Estimated receipts for to-day, 5,000; receipts yesterday, 17,170; shipments yesterday, 4,622. Market strong. Sheep—Estimated receipts to-day, 5,000; receipts yesterday, 9,782; shipments yesterday, 556. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Texas steers, $2.00@3.10; beef steers, $3.10@4.60; native cows, $1.25@2.75, stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.50. Hogs—Bulk of sales at $4.85@5.00; heavies, $4.90@5.00; packers, $4.90@5.10; mixed, $4.80@5.00; lights, $4.75@5.00; pigs, $4.60@5.00.

CINCINNATI—Hogs—In good demand and strong at $4.75@5.45.

Cotton.

Quotations for middling range as follows: St. Louis, 6⅛c; New York, 6 15-16c; New Orleans, 6⅝c; Memphis, 6⅛c; Charleston, 6½c.

Financial.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Money on call easy at 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487½@487¾ for sixty days, and 488½@488¾ for demand; posted rates, 488@489½. Commercial bills, 486@486⅞. Bar silver, 60⅝. Mexican dollars, 50⅝. Government bonds steady. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds higher.

Stocks during the past hour have been irregular and rather quiet, operators having paid more attention to the fluctuations in the corn market. Distillers' was heavy and fell 1½ to 17⅝, with a subsequent recovery to 18⅝. Louisville & Nashville reacted to 48; Rock Island to 69⅝ and Chicago Gas to 74⅝. At noon the market was dull and irregular.

AUGUST SALE.

This month we close out everything in the way of Summer Goods regardless of value, to make room for new fall goods.

Ladies, Waists (slightly soiled) to close out at 25 cents.
Ladies' $1 Percale Waists at 75 cents.
Ladies' Vests at 8, 10, 12½ and 15c.
Silk Mitts at 25, 35 and 45c.
Summer Corsets 75 cent goods, now at 50 cents.
One lot odd sizes of 50 cent Corsets cut to 25 cents.
One lot 10 cent Outing cut to 6¼c.
One lot Sun Umbrellas, $2.00 quality, cut to $1.48.
One lot Gents' $3.50, 4.00 and 5.00 fine Silk Umbrellas cut to $2.90 for this week's sale.
Gents' Work Shirts, worth 65, 75 and 85 cents, at 48c.

Carpets and Mattings.

We want to reduce our stock of Carpets and Mattings this week.
All Wool Ingrains sold at 68, 75 and 85 cents, cut to 58 cents this week.
Union Ingrains that sold at 45, 50 and 60 cents cut to 39 cents.
Mattings at 15, 20, 23 and 25c.

Shoes.

We want to close out all our Oxford low Shoes this month.
$1.25 Oxfords cut to 95 cents, Tans or Blacks.
$1.50 and $1.75 quality shoes at $1.39.
Men's Shoes at $1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.

JUST OPENED--New Dark Pongees, Sateens and Wool Dress Goods.

Visit Our Remnant Counter.

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FALL SUITS Just Received

From the Great Metropolis (New York.)

CHEAP CHARLEY.

HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—Tomato Salad.—Remove the skins, slice and drain, chop some celery fine and mix with the slices of tomatoes, and pour over the cream dressing.—Ohio Farmer.

—To know when a cake is sufficiently baked, stick a broom straw into the middle of it, remove it quickly, and if it looks in the least sticky put the cake back and close the oven door until it is done.

—Nutmeg Cookies.—Mix together a cup of white sugar, three-eighths of a cup of butter, a third of a cup of sour milk, one egg, a quarter of a teaspoonful of soda, plenty of grated nutmeg and enough flour to roll thin. Bake in quick oven.—Prairie Farmer.

—Caper Sauce.—Heat to a cream two tablespoonfuls of flour and half a cupful of butter and pour upon it half a pint of boiling milk. Set the mixture over the fire and stir constantly until it comes to the boiling point. Season with salt and a dash of cayenne, and add three tablespoonfuls of capers.—Boston Budget.

—Tomato Catsup.—One peck of tomatoes, a quarter cup of salt, one teaspoonful of red pepper, two teaspoonfuls of ground mace, allspice, cloves, two onions, one and a half pints of vinegar. Use whole spices tie in a bag and boil with the tomatoes. After adding the vinegar boil till reduced one-half.—Woman's Home Journal.

—Pineapples Canned.—Slice, peel, and cut into small pieces. Allow three-quarters of a pound of granulated sugar and one pint of water to two pounds of pineapple. Boil together about ten minutes, put into heated jars, fill to overflowing, and seal as quickly as possible. Pineapples weighing about four pounds make about two pounds of fruit when peeled.—Christian Work.

—Cherry Preserves.—Pit the cherries, weigh and allow a pound of sugar to each pound of fruit. Dissolve the sugar in the least quantity of water possible, and when it boils add the fruit and boil slowly fifteen minutes. Then skim out the fruit and put in glass jars (those which are not air-tight answer nicely for this purpose) filling them about two-thirds full. Boil down the sirup and pour it over the cherries. If the covers do not fit, dip a paper in brandy and lay on the top as for jelly.—Country Gentleman.

—Veal Croquettes.—Two cupfuls of the meat, chopped fine; one dozen oysters, one cupful of bread crumbs soaked in half a cupful of hot milk until soft, one saltspoonful each of made mustard, grated nutmeg and pepper; one even teaspoonful of salt, butter (the size of an egg) melted in hot milk, and half a cupful of gravy in which the meat was cooked. Stir in one beaten egg at the last, and make into rolls like large corks and dip them into an egg beaten with one tablespoonful of cold water, and roll in fine bread crumbs. Fry a nice brown in hot drippings or butter.—Good Housekeeping.

—Currant Tarts.—Line pie-plates or patty-pans with a good paste. Stem ripe currants, and fill the pans with them, sugaring them plentifully. Bake without a top crust. If you prefer, you can make a lattice-work of strips of paste over the top of the pie. Or you may make your tarts in the English fashion, with no bottom crust but with one on top. In that case heap the fruit towards the middle of a deep pie-dish, lay a strip of paste around the edge of the dish, pinch this and the edge of the top crust together to prevent the escape of the juice, and make a vent in the middle of the crust to allow the steam to escape.—Harper's Bazar.

PEOPLE OVER THE SEAS.

THE king of Dahomey was educated in France and speaks French fluently.

THE widow of the late Edmund Yates, editor of the London World, was married in accordance with his desire.

DR. CAR. THEODORE, of Bavaria, who is a practicing physician, attended more than five thousand patients last year.

THE manufacture of icons, the sacred images so universally venerated by orthodox Russians, is one of the largest household industries of central Russia, where two million are turned out every year.

GOLDEN GRAIN.

A FACE that cannot smile is like a lantern without a light.

THOUGHTS are threads into which the web of character is woven.

It is harder to guard against a liar than it is against the smallpox.

CHARACTER is always writing its name on the face in indelible ink.

THE man who looks for difficulties will find two where he only expected one.

HOPE is always saying that there is a light close by when we get in the dark.

Peculiar Electrical Accident.

An accident recently occurred at the power station of an electric railway in a large city which stopped all the cars. When the damage was repaired and the current turned on to the line the circuit breakers all dropped, showing that the wires were overloaded. Again and again it was tried to put the lines in operation, with the same result. The difficulty was that every motorman as soon as he found the current on, started his car, and the simultaneous demand from so many sources overloaded the wires. Riders were sent out to repress some of the cars and so the system was got into motion gradually. The wiring was subsequently changed so as to allow of starting by sections.

Etching by Electricity.

When etching is done by the aid of electricity a wire is soldered to the plate to be etched, by means of which an electric current is passed through the etching solution, which is made much more dilute than in the case of ordinary etching, says the Electrical Review. This action is much increased in intensity, and, in many cases acids, which under ordinary circumstances are inert, can be used, as, for instance, copper and weak sulphuric acid.

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Providing for the C Certain Sid

Be it Ordained by th the City of Decatur,

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Approved August 8, 1894.

Attest: J. P. Smith, City Clerk.

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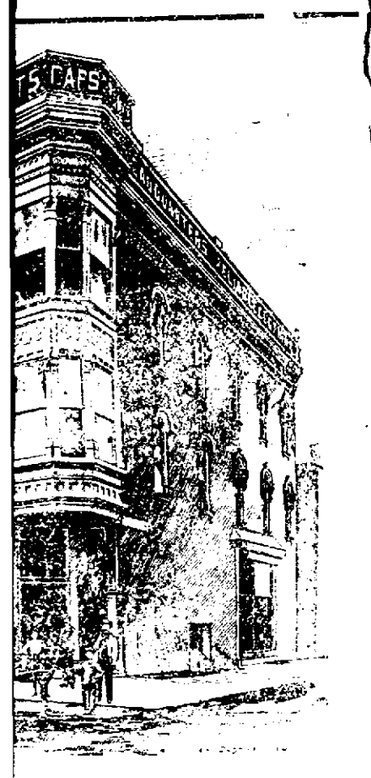

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HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—Tomato Salad.—Remove the skins, slice and drain, chop some celery fine and mix with the slices of tomatoes, and pour over the cream dressing.—Ohio Farmer.

—To know when a cake is sufficiently baked, stick a broom straw into the middle of it, remove it quickly, and if it looks in the least sticky put the cake back and close the oven door until it is done.

—Nutmeg Cookies.—Mix together a cup of white sugar, three-eighths of a cup of butter, a third of a cup of sour milk, one egg, a quarter of a teaspoonful of soda, plenty of grated nutmeg and enough flour to roll thin. Bake in quick oven.—Prairie Farmer.

—Caper Sauce.—Beat to a cream two tablespoonfuls of flour and half a cupful of butter and pour upon it half a pint of boiling milk. Set the mixture over the fire and stir constantly until it comes to the boiling point. Season with salt and a dash of cayenne, and add three tablespoonfuls of capers.—Boston Budget.

Tomato Catsup.—One peck of tomatoes, a quarter cup of salt, one teaspoonful of red pepper, two teaspoonfuls of ground mace, allspice, cloves, two onions, one and a half pints of vinegar. Use whole spices, tie in a bag and boil with the tomatoes. After adding the vinegar boil till reduced one-half.—Woman's Home Journal.

—Pineapples Canned.—Slice, peel, and cut into small pieces. Allow three-quarters of a pound of granulated sugar and one pint of water to two pounds of pineapple. Boil together about ten minutes, put into heated jars, fill to overflowing, and seal as quickly as possible. Pineapples weighing about four pounds make about two pounds of fruit when peeled.—Christian Work.

—Cherry Preserves.—Pit the cherries, weigh and allow a pound of sugar to each pound of fruit. Dissolve the sugar in the least quantity of water possible, and when it boils add the fruit and boil slowly fifteen minutes. Then skim out the fruit and put in glass jars (those which are not air-tight answer nicely for this purpose) filling them about two-thirds full. Boil down the sirup and pour it over the cherries. If the covers do not fit, dip a paper in brandy and lay on the top as for jelly.—Country Gentleman.

—Veal Croquettes.—Two cupfuls of the meat, chopped fine; one dozen oysters, one cupful of bread crumbs soaked in half a cupful of hot milk until soft, one saltspoonful each of made mustard, grated nutmeg and pepper; one even teaspoonful of salt, butter (the size of an egg) melted in hot milk, and half a cupful of gravy in which the meat was cooked. Stir in one beaten egg at the last, and make into rolls like large corks and dip them into an egg beaten with one tablespoonful of cold water, and roll in fine bread crumbs. Fry a nice brown in hot drippings or butter.—Good Housekeeping.

—Currant Tarts.—Line pie-plates or patty-pans with a good pastry. Stem ripe currants, and fill the pans with them, sugaring them plentifully. Bake without a top crust. If you prefer, you can make a lattice-work of strips of paste over the top of the pie. Or you may make your tarts in the English fashion, with no bottom crust, but with one on top. In that case, heap the fruit towards the middle of a deep pie-dish; lay a strip of paste around the edge of the dish; pinch this and the edge of the top crust closely together to prevent the escape of the juice, and make a cut in the middle of the crust to allow the steam to escape.—Harper's Bazar.

PEOPLE OVER THE SEAS.

THE king of Dahomey was educated in France and speaks French fluently.

THE body of the late Edmund Yates, editor of the London World, was cremated, in accordance with his desire.

DUKE CARL THEODORE, of Bavaria, who is a practicing physician, attended more than five thousand patients last year.

THE manufacture of ikons, the sacred images so universally venerated by orthodox Russians, is one of the largest household industries of central Russia, where two million are turned out every year.

GOLDEN GRAIN.

A FACE that cannot smile is like a lantern without a light.

THOUGHTS are threads into which the web of character is woven.

IT is harder to guard against a liar than it is against the smallpox.

CHARACTER is always writing its name on the face in indelible ink.

THE man who looks for difficulties will find two where he only expected one.

HOPE is always saying that there is a light close by when we get in the dark.

Peculiar Electrical Knock.

An accident recently occurred at the power station of an electric railway in a large city which stopped all the cars. When the damage was repaired and the current turned on to the line the circuit breakers all dropped, showing that the wires were overloaded. Again and again it was tried to get the lines in operation, with the same result. The difficulty was that every motorman as soon as he found the current on, started his car, and the simultaneous demand from so many sources overloaded the wires. Riders were sent out to repress some of the cars, and so the system was got into motion gradually. The wiring was subsequently changed so as to allow of starting by sections.

Etching by Electricity.

When etching is done by the aid of electricity a wire is soldered to the plate to be etched, by means of which an electric current is passed through the etching solution, which is made much more dilute than in the case of ordinary etching, says the Electrical Review. This action is much increased in intensity, and, in many cases acids, which under ordinary circumstances are inert, can be used, as, for instance, copper and weak sulphuric acid.

AN ORDINANCE

Providing for the Construction of Certain Sidewalks.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois:

SECTION 1. That the sidewalks as described and located in this ordinance be constructed in the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois.

SEC. 2. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of Condit street, from the west line of Calhoun street, west to the east line of Railroad avenue.

SEC. 3. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the east side of Railroad avenue, from the north line of Condit street, north to the south line of East Leafland avenue.

SEC. 4. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of East Leafland avenue from the east line of North Water street, east to the west line of North Broadway street.

SEC. 5. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of West Eldorado street, from the west line of North Monroe street, west to the east line of the right of way of the Wabash Railway.

SEC. 6. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the east side of Oakland avenue, from the south line of West Main street, south to the north line of St. Louis avenue.

SEC. 7. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the east side of Haworth avenue, from the south line of West Main street, south to the north line of St. Louis avenue.

SEC. 8. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of Clay street, from the east line of Webster street east to the west line of Peak street.

SEC. 9. That a brick sidwalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the south side of Clay street, from the east line of Webster street east to the west line of Peak street.

SEC. 10. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of Green street, from the west line of North Union street, west to the east line of College street.

SEC. 11. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of Whitmer street, from the east line of Webster street, east to the west line of Peak street.

SEC. 12. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the south side of Whitmer street, from the east line of Webster street, east to the west line of Peak street.

SEC. 13. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the west side of North Main street, from the north line of Pugh street, north to the south line of Johnson avenue.

SEC. 14. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of West Wood street, from the east line of Haworth avenue, east to a point 119½ feet east of said east line of Haworth avenue.

SEC. 15. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the north side of West Wood street, from a point 249½ feet east of the east line of Haworth avenue, east to a point 86½ feet east of said place of beginning.

SEC. 16. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the east side of Jasper street; from the alley first north of East Eldorado street, north a distance of one hundred and fifty feet.

SEC. 17. That a plank sidewalk four feet in width shall be constructed on the south side of West Leafland avenue, from the east line of Vandyke street, east to the west line of North Pine street.

SEC. 18. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the south side of King street, from the west line of Mercer street, west to the east line of Vandyke street.

SEC. 19. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the east side of North Pine street, from the north line of Green street, north to the south line of King street.

SEC. 20. That a brick sidewalk five feet in width shall be constructed on the west side of Warren street, from the south line of the alley first south of Division street, south to the north line of lot No. 11 of Montgomery and Hall's addition to the City of Decatur.

SEC. 21. That the brick sidewalks to be constructed as provided in this ordinance, shall be constructed eight (8) inches from the outer lines of the lot, lots, blocks and parcels of land along and in front of which such sidewalks are to be constructed. The earth and matter upon which such sidewalks are to be constructed, shall be graded by excavating or filling as shall be necessary to make a smooth sub-grade or bed for such sidewalks, a distance of six (6) inches below the grade line for sidewalks. Where the grade lines of sidewalks are not established the same shall be fixed and designated by the city engineer. When such grading shall be completed, there shall be placed upon such sub-grade or bed, a layer of sand and gravel, clean run, four (4) inches in thickness, which shall be smooth and even on the top, by the use of a proper form, in such manner that the surface line of the layer of sand and gravel nearest the central line of the street or roadway upon which such sidewalks are constructed, shall be one inch lower, than the opposite surface line of such sidewalk, with a convexity of one half (½) inch in the center of such sidewalks. Then there shall be placed along and on both of the outer lines of such layer of sand and gravel and at both ends in proper and sufficient excavations to be made therefor, a curb consisting of brick set on edge, with the ends all fitting against each other, which curb is firmly and securely fixed on the outer side by banking each against such curb, to the full height thereof and such curb shall be set at such elevation that the top of the curb shall be even with and form a part of the surface of the sidewalk when compacted. Then there shall be placed on said layer of sand and gravel, a layer of hard burned and thoroughly vitrified brick, with smooth and regular surface, which shall be laid on their flat surface with their largest dimensions diagonally across the line of the sidewalk, which said brick shall be laid closely together with sides and ends touching, and the entire space between said curbs shall be filled and nothing less than a whole brick shall be used, except in joining to curbs, street structures and other matters necessary to be joined to. When said brick shall be thus laid, the same shall be thoroughly settled and made regular on top, by placing a heavy plank thereon and using a heavy beetle on same. Then there shall be placed over the entire surface of such layer of brick, a layer of clean, dry, screened sand, which shall be well swept into all crevices and interstices. All material used and work done shall be of a first class quality and in every way suitable for the uses and purposes intended.

SEC. 22. That the plank sidewalks to be constructed, as provided by this ordinance, shall be constructed eight (8) inches from the outer lines of the lot, lots and parcels of land along and in front of which such plank sidewalks are to be constructed.

The earth and matter upon which such plank sidewalks are to be constructed shall be graded by excavating or filling as shall be necessary to make a smooth sub-grade or bed for such sidewalks on the grade line for sidewalks. Where the grade lines for sidewalks are not established, the same shall be fixed and designated by the city engineer. When such grading shall be completed there shall be placed upon said sub-grade or bed, pine plank two (2) inches in thickness, to the width that such sidewalks are to be constructed, by using one or more pieces of such planks, which said plank shall be laid parallel with the lines of the sidewalk and supported by and securely fastened by nailing to oak cross pieces four (4) by four (4) inches in size, placed four (4) feet apart and of the length of the width of the sidewalks. All material used and labor done in constructing such plank sidewalks, shall be of first class quality and suitable for the uses and purposes intended.

SEC. 23. The construction of said several sidewalks as provided in this ordinance is hereby declared to be a local improvement, the cost thereof to be paid by special taxation of the lots, blocks and parcels of land touching upon the line where any such sidewalk is herein ordinanced to be constructed. The entire cost of constructing any such sidewalk in front of such lot, lots or parcels of land shall be levied and assessed according to frontage, which said special tax shall be levied and assessed in the manner provided by the statute in such case made and provided.

SEC. 24. It shall be the duty of the street superintendent, within 100 days after the passage of this ordinance, to have the line of such sidewalks surveyed, the grade line established and have the grading thereof done, according to provisions and specifications of this ordinance and at the time of doing any such grading, shall keep an accurate account of the cost thereof.

SEC. 25. It shall be the duty of the owners and persons in legal control of any lot, lots or parcels of land touching upon the line where any such sidewalk is herein ordinanced to be constructed, to construct such sidewalk in front of their respective lot, lots and parcels of land, according to the provisions and specifications of this ordinance, within 30 days after the grade of such sidewalk has been furnished by said superintendent of streets as provided in section 24 hereof, and in default thereof said City of Decatur, may proceed to construct any such sidewalk in front of any lot, lots or parcels of land and after the same shall have been so constructed a bill of the cost of such sidewalks, showing in separate items, the cost of grading, material, laying down and supervision of any such sidewalk in front of each separate lot shall be filed in the office of the clerk of said city, certified to by the superintendant of streets, together with a list of the lots or parcels of land touching upon the line of such sidewalk, the names of the owners thereof and the frontage of each lot, block, tract or parcel of land in front of which sidewalks shall have been constructed by said city, according to this ordinance, whereupon said city clerk shall proceed to prepare a special tax list against said lots and parcels of land and the owners thereof, ascertaining by computation the amount of special taxes to be charged against each of said lots and parcels of land on account of the construction of such sidewalks according to frontage, which special tax list shall be filed in the office of said city clerk, who shall thereupon issue warrants, directed to the superintendent of streets, for the collection of the several amounts of such special tax, so ascertained and appearing from such special tax list, to be due from the respective owners of the lots and parcels of land touching upon the line of such sidewalk and the superintendent of streets on the receipt of the same, shall proceed to collect such warrants by making demand of the respective owner or owners of such lot, lots and parcels of land, whose duty it is to pay the same and in case he shall be unable to find such person or persons shall make demand of the person or persons in the possession or control thereof and said superintendent of streets shall within sixty days from the date of issue of such special tax lists, make a return to said city clerk of his acts and doings in the premises, and shall deliver to said city clerk all moneys, by him received, with a statement of whom received and with a statement upon the back of all special tax warrants not paid, of the manner in which he demanded payment and if any person is not found, he shall state such fact, and said city clerk shall deliver all moneys so turned over to him, to the city treasurer of said city. Upon failure to collect such special tax or any part thereof, it shall be the duty of said city clerk immediately on the return of the said warrants to him, to make a report of all such special taxes not paid, in writing to the general officer of the county in the manner provided by the statute in such case made and provided and when said general officer shall receive said report, he shall proceed to obtain judgment in the manner provided by the statute in such case made and provided.

SEC. 26. The construction of the sidewalks herein provided for shall be under the general supervision and subject to the approval of the superintendent of streets.

SEC. 27. This ordinance shall be published as required by the statute in such case made and provided and shall be in force after its legal passage and publication. All ordinances passed during the year 1893 for the construction of sidewalks are hereby repealed.

Passed this 23d day of July, A. D. 1894.

Approved this 24th day of July, A. D. 1894.

Published this 8th day of August, A. D. 1894.

Attest, L. P. SKELLY, City Clerk.

D. C. MOFFITT, Mayor.

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THE abstinence of the New England delegates to the coming National Convention of Catholic Total Abstinence Societies includes a resolution not to touch Pullman cars during their trip to St. Paul.

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They are made to see and hear and they go home and tell others of the great work this man is doing among us, and so the crowd increases with each week and the parlors of the hotel are crowded every day, and finding it impossible to get through this week, the doctors have decided to remain at the St. Nicholas hotel, Decatur, until

Saturday, Aug. 18.

Send word to your friends and tell them to come and see me. I will refer them to some cases cured that suffered exactly as they do. Remember, if you are not able to pay now we will give you plenty of time to pay us. The blind restored to sight, the deaf made to hear, cross eyes straightened in one minute. Catarrh cured quickly and permanently; treats all diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Consultation free. Hours from 9 to 4 and 7 to 8.

NEW TREATMENT FOR DEAFNESS

More Evidence that Dr. Coffee Can Make the Deaf Hear.

It is but a few weeks since Dr. Coffee opened his office in the Harper House, but during that time he has clearly shown the citizens of Rock Island that he can cure any disease of the eye, ear, nose or throat. Many cases have come to him that were of years standing, the sufferers had treated with all the well known specialists, and found no relief. Many of them had given up, and doubtless would have been past recovery had not Dr. Coffee come here. But, as the old saying goes, and it is a true one, "A drowning man will catch at a straw," so these people went to Dr. Coffee. The majority of them went more through idle curiosity than anything else, but after meeting the doctor and becoming impressed with him, they decided to give him another trial. In every instance he has helped the patients, and those who are not already cured, are on the road to recovery.

A typical case of this kind comes to our mind now. It is a case that has been to consult the best eye and ear men in Chicago, and each of them said that the boy was incurable and could not be benefitted by any one, and the father and mother had given up all hopes of this boy ever being restored to hearing and speech, until two weeks ago when they were persuaded by their neighbors to take the boy to see Dr. Coffee, as it would do no harm, or cost anything for consultation. The case we refer to is the son of Joseph Scherer, of Pre-emption, a wealthy farmer, and known in town. His son is now 15 years old, When he was a little baby 2 years old he gradually grew deaf, and in six months he was so deaf he could hear nothing and has not been able to hear since, and, therefore, never learned to talk. When he came to Dr. Coffee he could hear absolutely nothing in one ear and just hear sounds in the other. The boy stayed in Rock Island one week and boarded with B. F. Knox, and in six days' treatment Dr. Coffee restored the boy's hearing so that he could hear an ordinary conversation three feet away in both ears. This, we think, is one of the most remarkable cures of deafness ever made, and gives a little idea of the wonderful work being done by Dr. Coffee at this place. He will be here until Saturday, April 14.

Miss Anna Magner, of 303 West Knox street, Galesburg. Eyes have been crossed since a child. Was straightened in one minute by Dr. Coffee without pain or chloroform. Eyes are now perfect.

Lucien Warren's son that works on the Mail in this city was cross eyed since 5 years old and his eyes were straightened by Dr. Coffee in one minute at the Union Hotel.

Mrs. Jonson, landlady at the stock yards Hotel, was deaf in one ear for 20 years and steadily improved under Dr. Coffee's treatment.

Miss Emma Peterson, of Victoria, was cross eyed for 10 years and had them straightened by Dr. Coffee at the Union Hotel.

Mrs. L. M. Bartlett, of Rio, says: I have been growing deaf for several years and also losing my sight. Dr. Coffee's treatment benefitted my sight and hearing immediately, and I recommend all persons suffering with deafness to go and see him.

John Richards, a young man 21 years of age, a carpenter in this city, has been growing deaf for two years, had constant noises in ears and suffered with catarrh all the time. Was completely relieved in three days by Dr. Coffee at the St. Nicholas hotel. He recommends all deaf people to go and see him.

Albert Jones, living 6 miles out from the city, says: Dr. Coffee operated on my son for cross eyes last week and they are perfect now. The operation only required one minute and was without pain and I took him home without a bandage.

T. L. Johnson of Warrensburg had been deaf for five years with chronic catarrhal deafness. Had constant noises in his ears, stopping up of the nose and dropping of mucus in his throat; had been treated by oculists in Springfield and St. Louis with no benefit. Called on Dr. Coffee at the St. Nicholas last week and was treated twice a day for three days and in that time his hearing was restored more than as good again than before. He says the treatment is new and entirely different from anything he ever saw before and gives immediate benefit. If you are deaf go and see Dr. Coffee.

Mrs. Henry Notthalf, 924 East Wood street, says: I have suffered for years with a very severe throat trouble and enlarged tonsils and abscess and stopping of the nose and Dr. Coffee gave me immediate relief in one treatment.

Thos. J. Alexander of Bement, Ill., says: I have been deaf and gradually grew worse for 10 years until I could hear only with a speaking tube. I have been treated by several Oculists and Aurists with no benefit whatever until I called on Dr. Coffee at the St. Nicholas last week and in 3 days he restored my hearing at least one third. His treatment is new and something different from anything I ever saw.

James W. Cameron, of Harristown, had very severe nose trouble that has stopped up his nose for 2 or 3 years, was relieved by Dr. Coffee at the St. Nicholas Hotel in five minutes and makes him feel like a new man.

Joseph Tillman, 735 East Wood street, almost completely deaf in one ear and was relieved immediately by one treatment with Dr. Coffee at the St. Nicholas.

Mrs. W. H. Brooks of Macon, whose husband is one of the leading men of that section, says: I have treated with several oculists and aurists and spent a great deal of money and had given up all hope of being cured until I called on Dr. Coffee Monday. His treatment made me hear one-third better the first time.

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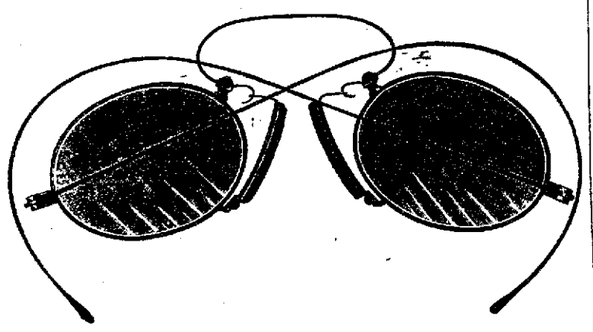

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No improvement that you can make (for the money) will add so much to the appearance of your home as painting it.

King & Hubbard, the druggists, have the best m xed paints in all colors; also everything in the paint and varnish line.

LOCAL NEWS.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

RUSSET shoe polish at Irwins.'

DRINK Iron Phosphate at Irwins'.

IRWIN'S Rapid Relief cures all aches and pains.

REMEMBER Old Settlers' day, August 16, 1894.

HOT again—94 in the shade.

CORN dropped off about 7 cents to-day and rallied a little.

IRWIN'S Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, and makes the weak strong.

A CHANCE to get a bicycle for nothing at the B. Stine Clothing Co. Read ad.

THE Dutchman has come to stay. 1m

ANY style parlor suit or couch made to order at Tay's factory. july31-d2w

GUESSES run from 400 to 47,100 at the B. Stine Clothing Co. What's yours?

BICYCLES TO RENT, DODD & SANNER Co., 153 Merchant St. apr18-dtf

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

DR. O. T. EDDY, Dentist, Room 10, Columbia block, over post office. july303mo

THE style and fit of those new fall suits must be seen to be appreciated, at CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

THE old log court house will be up with roof on at Riverside park this afternoon.

CAMPBELL & THAYER have secured the agency for several thousand acres of choice Iowa lands.

FOR a fine silk brocatelle parlor suit, call at Tay's factory, South Water St. july31-d2w

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses for 10 cents.

GO TO the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6-d&wtf

LAST evening a marriage license was granted Frank A. McGurthey and Miss Alice Abrams, both of Decatur.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

SHAD OWEN of the street car line has taken his family and gone camping and fishing for a week.

IF you have prosperty to rent place it in the hands of Campbell & Thayer, the reliable real estate dealers who will look after it with especial care.

IN the 2:45 trot at the Hume races Tuesday I. R. Mills' horse, Rigo, came in second in the last heat; time, 2:21¾.

THE office of Constable Midkiff is now with the Captain Lytle real estate and insurance agency at 123 North Water street. 8-1w

ELEGANT correspondence stationery, latest styles and at low prices. In package lots at wholesale price. Bevans' City Book Store. 30d6

THE Springfield Paving Brick company closed a contract for furnishing 2,000,000 paving bricks to the city for paving Black avenue to the Illinois state fair grounds.

THE makers of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer offer all nervous sufferers advice and consultation of the Doctor, *free of charge*. Write to The J. W. Brant Co., Albion, Mich. Sold by C. H. Dawson.

THIS forenoon Frank Deshield, driver of the delivery wagon for J. H. Kingsley, the North Water street grocer, met with an accident near the Baptist church. Something went wrong with the shaft and the horse began kicking. Frank fell off the seat on his head and was badly bruised. Passersby came to his relief, and later he was taken to his heme by Mr. Kingsley. Deshield was not seriously hurt.

THERE was a horsewhipping episode on South State street last night in which a muscular woman of faded looks and easy virtue tackled a young man and socked it to him hot and heavy for a few moments. The aforesaid y. m. was caught in company with four young girls drinking beer, and the professional female became jealous, her lacerated feelings boiling with rage until she grabbed a buggy whip and used it effectively. No arrests—yet.

WHILE tearing down the old log court house on the J. M. Clokey place for removal to Riverside, a boy found part of the time-worn copy of the New York *Recorder*, dated April 21, 1852. It was picked up and turned over to President Gorin of the Old Settlers' association, who brought it to the REPUBLICAN. One item of information in the scrap was the statement that the president had signed the joint resolution for the appropriation of $500,000 for the extension of the two wings of the capitol building at Washington.

A. G. BOWEN IN LUCK.

He Found His Stolen Property at Springfield—Two Men in Jail.

On the night of July 7th, just a month ago yesterday, A. G. Bowen, the Decatur agent for the Vandalia road, lost his side-bar buggy, two laprobes, hobbles, a whip, currycomb and brush, and a small saddle belonging to his son. A thief stole the whole outfit from the Bowen barn, and no trace of the property could be found until a few days ago, when it was located at Springfield by a farmer living near Decatur who had had a saddle stolen from him. He recovered the saddle at Springfield, and from Sheriff Murray learned that a buggy answering the description of the one stolen from Mr. Bowen was then at Springfield. A horse was stolen from Farmer Cooper west of Decatur a few miles. It was also located and recovered by the owner.

Mr. Bowen visited Springfield yesterday and quickly found and recovered all of his property, and it is now in Decatur. The property was traced immediately to John A. McCauley, the fellow arrested about a month ago for stealing 22 head of cattle from the farm of T. J. Scroggins near Harristown and driving them to Springfield to be sold. McCauley has been in the Springfield jail since his arrest. It took Mr. Bowen some time to get McCauley to give up the location of the buggy, but he finally did so. It was found at the home of an old man named Nichols, where McCauley had boarded. The buggy was in the barn, and the top, which had been broken off in an accident, was hidden in the mow. The blankets saddle, hobbles and whip, were found hidden in Nichols' house. Everything was recovered and later old man Nichols was arrested for running a "fence," or a place to hide stolen property. Both McCauley and Nichols have been in the penitentiary, and are well known to the Springfield officers as slippery people. McCauley claims that he traded an old buggy for the Bowen rig, but Bowen learned that McCauley did not possess a buggy previous to July 7.

The preliminary hearing of McCauley and Nichols is to be had at Springfield next Friday, and Mr. Bowen will be there to prosecute the prisoners.

McCauley, who used to drive a hack in Decatur, has a brother-in-law in this city. The officers are now trying to locate him, hoping to catch everybody connected with stealing the Scroggins cattle and the Bowen buggy.

THE OLD LOG COURT HOUSE.

History of the Relic Written by J. R. Gorin—Now at Riverside.

The first notice of the old log court house on the records of the county commissioner's court was on the 7th day of June, 1830, when the court was held in it for the first time. From the records it seems that Col. James Johnson (mentioned in Smith's History of Macon County as Col. Joseph Johnson) was the contractor to build the old court house, the building of which was commenced in 1829, and was not finished until November, 1832, evidently from want of funds. From 1829, the date of the organization of the county, the courts were held at the house of James Ward, on the south side of the Sangamon river, till the 7th of June, 1830. The old relic stood on lot No. 4, block 4, Original Town of Decatur. This old relic has been moved to Riverside park, and set up, log for log, as it was in 1829. In the year 1844 it was taken to the old Robert Allen farm, one and one-half miles east of Water street, now owned by J. M. Clokey.

This is a rare old relic, and will be interesting to young and old, when they remember that the voice of the martyred president, Abraham Lincoln, was often heard within its rough walls, and where Samuel D. Lockwood and Stephen T. Logan presided as judges.

Come to the Old Settlers' meeting on Thursday, the 16th inst., when you can see the house in which justice was meted out in the early days of this county. Don't forget Old Settlers' day, Thursday, August 16th, 1894.

Plans of Young Bros. & Maris.

Next season the wholesale grocery house of the Young Bros. & Maris company will have an impossing building, planned expressly for the business, erected on a part of the old Stare lot on Cerro Gordo street, recently purchased by F. B. Tait. The company has purchased 60 feet of the ground for $6,000, giving them that much Wabash track and street frontage. The improvement will be of great advantage to the company in many respects.

Able to Sit Up.

Carlton Shidler, the young man who was shot in the neck Sunday by the Cisco man, is getting along pretty well. He is able to sit up and chat. He is very hopeful of ultimate recovery.

Amos Leist (Lash was the first name given) is limping about in the jail, anxious for a hearing. He has expressed regret that he had shot Shidler and he himself was not killed in the running fire. He did not want to be taken alive.

Casner Quiet.

There is nothing new to tell in the John A. Wilson shooting affair at Casner station. No arrests yet. Apparently there is a disposition to hush up the whole affair and let it go at that.

17 HOURS AHEAD

Fast Riding on the Washington-Denver Relay.

Who the Local Riders Are—An Interesting Meeting of the Local Club Last Night—Other News.

17 HOURS AHEAD.

Manager A. F. Wilson, at a late hour this afternoon received a telegram from Manager Dixon, of the Indianapolis division, in which he states that the riders left there to-day at 1:42 p. m., which is over 17 hours ahead of schedule. This will bring the riders through here to-morrow morning.

The great bicycle ride is causing no little amount of interest among the local cyclers, who with their friends will turn out *en masse* on Thursday evening to see the message pass through Decatur. Reports received by Local Manager, A. F. Wilson, indicate that the riders are ahead of time. The riders will reach the Ohio-Indiana line to-night about 10 o'clock, which will be about one hour ahead of the schedule time. They are due at Indianapolis at 6:07 a. m. to-morrow morning, at Crawfordsville, Ind., at 10:52 a. m., at Danville, Ill., at 3:04 p. m., and Bement to-morrow night at 8:34 o'clock, where the Decatur boys take the message to Illiopolis, scheduled to arrive at the latter place at 12:20 a. m. The local riders, their time and distance of their ride is as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT.

Bement to Cerro Gordo	12 miles...48 min	W. S. Ruby and F. Pahmeyer

SECOND DISTRICT.

Cerro Gordo to Rea's Bridge	9 miles.....45 min	F. Farles and B. Weaver

THIRD DISTRICT.

Rea's Bridge to Lincoln Square	8½ miles....44 min	F. S. Dodd and Ira Clokey

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Lincoln Square to Harristown	8½ mi..45 min	L. E. Rogers and L. Shellabarger

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Harristown to Illiopolis	11 miles.....43 min	Batchelder and K. Hickisch

AN INTERESTING MEETING.

There was an interesting meeting of the Decatur Cycling club last evening at their rooms in the Haworth block. There was a good attendance, and Vice President Hickisch was in the chair. The meeting was held for the purposes, first, to select a reception committee to receive the riders who will attend the races next week, and second to talk over fall races. It was voted that A. S. Robieson be made chairman of the reception committee with power to appoint assistants. Second it was decided to hold a bicycle meet here in September at the Association track. The dates were not determined on, but it was decided that a committee consisting of one person from each bicycle store should have the entire charge of the races.

THE AUGUST RACES.

The second bicycle meet of the Decatur Cycling Club, which will be held on Friday, August 24, at the Trotting park, will be a ten strike in reference to interest and fast riding. The long program of events and the character of the prizes will draw many of the fastest riders of the country here. Already the entries of well-known local riders have been filed. All communications should be addressed to F. B. Mueller, manager of the races.

ANOTHER CLUB.

A meeting will be held in the near future of all bicycle riders in the Y. M. C. A. for permanent organization. A great many of these are members of the Decatur Cycling Club, but the two will in no wise interfere with each other.

A New Firm.

I have decided to resume my connection with the real estate business, and have formed a copartnership with Mr. J. S. Campell—office 104 East Prarie street, over Lutz's music store. I would be pleased to meet all my old friends and patrons, and can assure the public that all business entrusted to our care will receive careful attention, and the benefit of our years' of practical experience in the real estate line.

J. L. THAYER.

Mysterious.

At 2 o'clock this morning three distinct pistol shots were heard at the corner of Marietta and Church streets, followed by the rapid movement of a horse and buggy westward on Marietta street. The police have no knowledge of the shooting and the flames of parties connected with the affair cannot be ascertained.

Dissolution.

The real estate and insurance firm of Harry Midkiff and Ed. C. Gay has been dissolved, the business being sold to Capt. R. P. Lytle, who will continue it 123 North Water street. Constable Midkiff will have his office with Capt. Lytle and Mr. Gay will travel for an insurance firm.

MARRIED.

At the Methodist parsonage by Rev. W. F. Howe, August 7, Joseph H. Michael and Miss Virginia Lunceford, both of Sullivan, Ill.

DIED.

On August 7, at 828 North Lowber street, Mrs. Caroline Mertz, aged 84 years.

The Y. M. C. A. Beaten.

The Invincible J. D. Moores Win by a Score of 14 to 9.

An immense crowd witnessed the ball game yesterday afternoon at the Athletic park between the Y. M. C. A. and J. D. Moore nines. So great was the crowd that it is now necessary for the association to build an addition to the amphitheatre. The game was a good one and all were greatly pleased with the manner in which the game progressed. Both pitchers were hit freely and the field work was done. Auer of the Y. M. C. A. nine pulled down several flies on the run. Some good work was done on the bases and some poor. The error list was even on both sides. Dixon played the grand stand as usual, and when he muffed a ball the audience seemed pleased. Gates did not play with his usual form, yesterday seeming to be his off day. Following is the score:

J. D. MOORE.	R	B	P	A	E
Donahue, 2b	3	1	4	1	1
McGin, 2b-p	3	1	0	11	0
Paine, 3b	3	3	1	0	1
Jim Bain, ss	0	0	0	5	0
Martin, rf	0	0	1	3	1
Joe Bain, lf	2	0	1	0	1
Kitchen, 1b	0	1	13	0	1
Kitchen, c	3	4	4	1	2
Winegartner, cf	0	1	3	1	2
Total	14	11	27	19	9

Y. M. C. A.	R	B	P	A	E
Becker, s. s	1	2	1	3	2
Walston, c	1	2	8	1	2
Conn, p	0	1	1	3	0
Snyder, 2d b	1	0	1	3	2
Schroll, c. f	0	0	0	0	0
Gates, 3d b	1	1	5	5	2
Auer, l. f	2	0	2	1	0
Frazee, r. f	1	0	0	0	0
Dixon, 1b	2	2	11	0	1
Total	9	8	24	16	9

SCORE BY INNINGS.

J. D. Moore	2	4	0	3	1	1	2	1	*	14
Y. M. C. A's	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	9

Earned runs: J. D. Moore, 2. Base hits, Jim Bain, Joe Bain. Bases stolen, Moore, 11; Y. M. C. A., 4. Double plays, Winegartner and Donahue. Bases on called balls, McGinty, 1; Conn, 3. Base on hits by pitched balls, Donahue, Auer, Schroll. Struck out, by Donahue, 1; McGinty, 4; Conn, 2. Wild pitches, Conn, 4. Time of game—2 hours and 5 minutes. Umpire—Baldwin Starr.

A Good Endorsement.

BLOOMINGTON, Aug. 7, 1894.

Frank W. Haines, Decatur, Ill.:

MY DEAR HAINES:—Permit me to say a good word for Prof. Roche, who is soon to appear in your city, and who closes a ten night engagement with me to-morrow evening. You will find him a perfect gentleman, and his entertainments are very entertaining, instructive and truly wonderful, and I feel sure he will greatly interest your patrons with kind regards I am Respectfully yours

CHAS. E. PERRY.

Prof. Roche will begin his engagement at the Grand to-morrow night. The prices are only 10, 20 and 30 cents. Seats now on sale at Tyler's.

Money! Money!! Money!!!

We have plenty of money to loan, in large or small amounts, on all classes of security—chattels, real estate, collateral notes or individual security. Money advanced on furniture, live stock, second mortgages on real estate, cattle, hogs and growing crops; also on watches, diamonds, jewelry and loan association stock. Apply to Albert T. Summers loan broker and private banker, 143 North Water street, over Abel's carpet store. 26-d&w2w

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House of six rooms, closets, pantries, cellar, cistern and city water, good barn, choice fruits, inside property on North Edward street, easy terms.

120 acres four and one-half miles from city, all under cultivation, good orchard, thorough improvements, abundance of good water. Less than $30 per acre, part cash, balance on time.

CAMPBELL & THAYER.

CONSIDERABLE excitement was caused in the city yesterday by a rumor of a riot in a neighboring railroad town. It was asserted that several persons had been injured and that the militia might be called out. The rumor was without foundation but the truth is, Phillips & Co., have been selling so many pianos and organs of late, that there is no telling when there will be a let up in the rush of this popular music house.

IF you want to sell property list it with Campbell & Thayer, live real estate dealers, 104 East Prairie street over Lutz's music store.

Spiritualism.

Dr. Grabendike will give a lecture and tests of spirit power, Tuesday evening, August 7th, at 8 p. m., at Leonard's dancing academy. Admission 10c. All are invited. aug6-d2t*

GEO. WOOLINGTON has taken charge of the Transient Hotel, 437 East William street, and proposes to conduct a first class house.

Sales of Real Estate.

Anna H. Shelley to John P. Eckels, deed to lot 6, block 8, Enterprise addition—$350.

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